WAYLAND FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Newsletter January, 2019

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WAYLAND READS

Live from Cairo by Ian Bassingthwaighte

A PEN/Hemingway Award finalist and a Kirkus Best Book of the Year, this brilliant, lively novel follows an impulsive American attorney and a fledgling Iraqi-American resettlement officer trying to aid a refugee who finds herself trapped in Cairo during the turbulent aftermath of the 2011 revolution. Incisive, exciting, and deeply compassionate, it's a compelling tale for our times.

Copies will be available at the library. Watch for announcements about upcoming programs, including...

Author Appearance: April 7 at the Library

Teen Pizza Study Nights

Wayland High students! Feed your brain while studying with your friends at the Wayland Public Library. We'll serve pizza at 5:30 p.m. on these nights. We'll also have cookies, granola bars, and other treats available to get you through the long study hours. With this sustenance, in this environment, you're sure to ace your exams.

Open until *11 p.m.* January 22, 23 and 24

Start the New Year off with some trivial FUN at the Library by joining us for trivia, pizza, and snacks. We'll play four rounds of five questions each. Categories will vary and include current affairs, pop culture, sports, history, science and everything in between. Watch our Facebook page for clues! Registration is required. Sign up as a team of 2-6 people or as an individual to be placed on a team.

Wednesday, January 2 7 – 9 p.m.

Great Presenters

How is History Written? The Story of Herman Allen

with Kevin Delaney

Wayland Korean War-era veteran John Dyer acquired a cache of some 85 First World War letters that somehow stayed neatly bundled together for nearly a century. Wayland High School history teacher Delaney and his students spent weeks exploring the life and era of the letters' author, Herman Allen. Delaney will discuss the narrative his students revealed about life during wartime for the quintessential "kid next door."

Tuesday, January 8 7:30 p.m.

The Library will be closed on January 1 for New Year's Day.

We will also be closed on January 21 for Martin Luther King Day.

Collage Workshop

Cut! Paste! Create! Leader **Corey Purcell** will give a brief overview of collage as an art form and then we'll let our creativity loose cutting and pasting from magazines and maps. The Library will provide all materials.

Monday, January 7
2:30-4 p.m.

Author Talk

Other Worlds: Spirituality and the Search for Invisible Dimensions

Vassar College Professor of Religion **Dr. Christopher White** will discuss his new book, *Other Worlds: Spirituality and the Search for Other Dimensions*. The book examines the idea that the universe has invisible, higher dimensions and parallel universes, as expressed in science fiction, comic books, art, and spirituality. He explores the work of Madeleine L'Engle, C. S. Lewis, Rod Serling, Salvador Dali, as well as televangelists, scientists, and others.

Monday, January 14 7:30 p.m.

Middlesex Chapter of the Massachusetts Society of Genealogists

After a brief business meeting, **Charleen Sokal** will present "Women's Work: Varieties of Women's Businesses." All are welcome to attend.

Saturday, January 12 12:30-3:30 p.m.

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Tell Your Story of Immigration

As we explore themes of immigration and refugees for the coming year's edition of Wayland Reads, we'd like to hear from Wayland residents who have firsthand experience. If you would like to share your story in a public program at the Library in March, please contact MJ at mwright@minlib.net or call 508-358-2311.

Get Started on the Ukulele

Join the fun with musician, librarian, and teacher **Julie Stepanek** as she shows the ukulele basics. You'll learn how to tune, strum, and read chords, and then play some easy songs. No experience necessary. Bring your own uke, borrow one of hers, or check out one of ours! Ages 5-105 welcome; registration required.

Sunday, January 13 3-4:30 p.m.

Introduction to the iPhone/iPad

You know how to make a phone call and send a text, but are mystified by all the bells and whistles of your iPhone/iPad. Learn the difference between SIRI and voice dictation, how to search for and download an app, ways to send yourself reminders, and other basics of your device.

Tuesday, January 15 2 p.m.

Raising and Keeping Chickens 101

Lisa Bougoulas of the Chelmsford Agway will lead this how-to seminar on raising your own chickens. Come learn what supplies you need, what to expect, what kinds of different breeds of chickens are available, and where to buy them in the spring.

Thursday, January 17 7:30 p.m.

Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesday, January 2
10-12 p.m.

Poetry Workshop

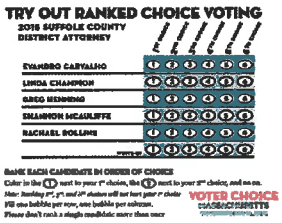
Thursday, January 3
2-4 p.m.

Beginners English Conversation Group

Friday, January 4 and 18
10:30-11:30 a.m.

What is Ranked Choice Voting?

Ranked Choice Voting allows voters to rank candidates on a ballot in order of preference, instead of having to choose only one candidate among many, and would require true majority support to win an election. RCV has been the subject of recent articles and editorials, in both local and national media, particularly in response to recent elections in Maine. **Jim Henderson** will discuss RCV on behalf of Voter Choice Massachusetts, a non-partisan, politically diverse, non-profit organization.



Wednesday, January 16
7:30 p.m.

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Lisa Corfman: Origami and More

Lisa B. Corfman has been an artist in a variety of styles, but origami (paper-folding art) spanning mixed media has been her focus since 2001. A proud BFA, Lisa works at the Claypit Hill School BASE program in the afternoons, where she paints with the kids and has created many scenes in tempura with a touch of origami.

Reception: Sunday, January 20 3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

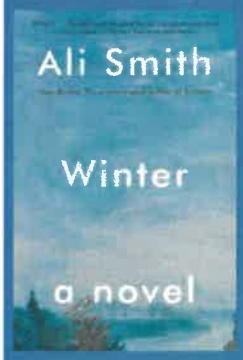
Foyer

WAYLAND READS

Ian Bassingthaighte: Live from Cairo

Author of this year's Wayland Reads selection, Bassingthwaighte is also a noted photographer. These are some of the photos from his Instagram project of words and pictures about the writing of *Live from Cairo.*

Book Groups



Evening

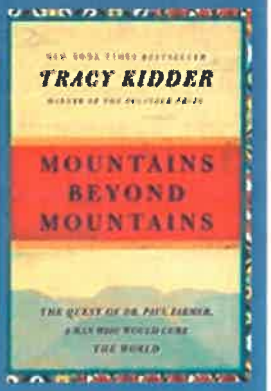
***Winter* by Ali Smith**

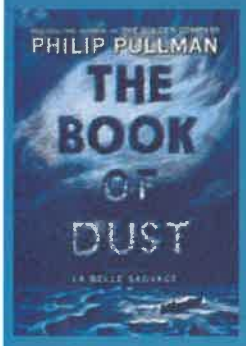
Monday, January 7 7 p.m.

Nonfiction

***Mountains Beyond Mountains* by Tracy Kidder**

Wednesday, January 9 1 p.m.





Sci-Fi/Dystopian

***The Book of Dust* by Philip Pullman**

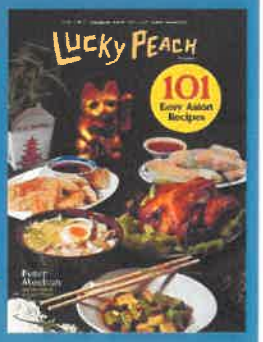
Wednesday, January 9

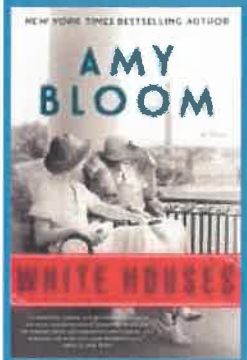
7 p.m. in the mezzanine

Cookbook Club

***Lucky Peach* by Peter Meehan**

Thursday, January 10 6 p.m.





Noon

***White Houses* by Amy Bloom**

Friday, January 11

Carl Hobert: How Rwanda Saved My Life

Wayland resident Hobert had been working for years to help the government of Rwanda with education reform and youth-focused conflict resolution. Then, in March 2018, he was rescued from near-death in a Kigali hospital. His is a story of medical collaboration, empathy, and miracles, told truly from the heart. He is the author of *Raising Global IQ: Preparing our Students for a Shrinking Planet*.

Wednesday, January 30 7:30 p.m.

Cooking with Chocolate, Sweet and Savory

with Liz Barbour

Chocolate is not just dessert; it's everything you need! Join chef Liz Barbour as she explores chocolate as both a sweet and savory ingredient. Learn about the different types of chocolate, how to select a chocolate based on its fat and sugar content, and how to use chocolate as the main ingredient in recipes that are not just for dessert. Enjoy a cooking demonstration of two delicious recipes, and samples.
Registration is required.

Monday, February 4
7 p.m.

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January, 2019 Youth Events & News

Ongoing Programs

Thurs. Jan. 3| 10:30 a.m.

Jeannie Mack

Jeannie Mack will perform all kinds of fun, bounce-around, sing-along songs geared for young children. Plenty of opportunity for audience participation!

Ages babies to 4 years.

Tues. Jan. 8, 15, & 22|10:30 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. Jan. 17, 24, & 31| 10:30 a.m.

Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.

Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tues. Jan. 29| 10:30 a.m.

Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.

Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

Wednesday, January 9|3:30-4:30 p.m.

What's Our Story: Silent Film Pioneers

Join us for a reading of picture book biographies about three pioneers in silent film comedy: Mack Sennett, Buster Keaton, and Alice Guy-Blache. Children will learn about these comedians and filmmakers and watch a screening of 3 short films filled with madcap comedy, wild chases, and catastrophes averted! Popcorn will be served. **For grades 1 to 3, with caregiver.**

Wednesday, January 16 | 3:30-4:30 p.m.

World Record Challenges

Have you ever wanted to set a world record? Stop by for an afternoon of World Record Challenges! See if you can be the fastest person to assemble a Mr. Potato Head while blindfolded or be the person able to hold the most tennis balls in one hand. There will be a scavenger hunt and prizes! **For ages 5 and up.**

Saturdays, January 12, 19, & 26| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Storytime at the Farmer's Market

WAYLAND WINTER Farmers' Market

Join librarians from Wayland and Sudbury for storytime at the Wayland Winter Farmer's Market. Storytimes will be held on the second floor of Russell's Garden Center, 397 Boston Post Road. **For ages babies to 5, with caregiver.**

More Youth Events

Wednesday, January 2| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Extreme Shelters! Design and build a house for an extremely HOT or extremely COLD climate.

For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesdays, January 9 & 23| 11:15–12:00 p.m.

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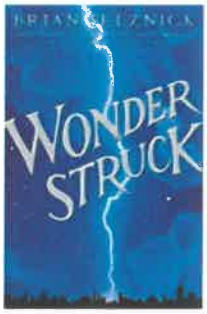

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders with a parent. January's book is *Wonderstruck* by Brian Selznick. We will also choose the book for next month.

For 4th and 5th graders with a parent.

Thursday, January 10| 10:30-11:00 a.m.

Storytime with Corbyn

Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Corbyn, a beautiful Samoyed. **For ages 3 and up.**

Wednesday, January 23| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Drop-in Family Game Day

Spend quality time with your kids and play games at the library! We will have board games and card games set up to play.

For ages 4 and up, with caregiver.

Wednesdays, January 16 & 30| 11:15-12:00 p.m.

Brain Building Storytime

Storytime, parachute play, and Brain Building activity. Program led by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.

For children ages 2 to 5, with caregiver.

Thursday, January 17| 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Tech Petting Zoo

We are rolling out our new tech toys in our Library of Things! Try out the Code-a-Pillar, the Ozobot, the Cubetto, and other tech toys!

For children ages 4 and up, with caregiver.

Wednesday, January 30| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Let's Build: Strongest Paper Bridge

Let's Build is a hands-on building workshop for kids in grades 3-5. This month's challenge is to build a paper bridge that can hold the most coins.

For kids in grades 3-5.

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Author Appearance: April 7 3 p.m.

Coyote Continent

with Photographer Bob Michelson

Now the top predator in the Northeast, coyotes were unknown east of the Mississippi River before 1900. As they migrated north and east up into Canada, they interbred with wolves to the extent that the coyotes we see in our backyards more closely resemble large German Shepherds. Learn about their eastward expansion and hybridization as you view some of Bob's breathtaking photos.

Wednesday, February 13 7 p.m.

The Library will be closed on Monday, February 18 for Presidents Day.

Best iPhone Apps for Seniors

There are so many available apps, but which ones are really useful? Learn about using your iPhone for mobile banking, making recordings for your grandchildren, tracking flights, and so much more.

Tuesday, February 12 2 p.m.

Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesdays, February 6 10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursdays, February 7 and 21 2 p.m.

English Conversation Group

For Beginners

Fridays, February 1 and 15

10:30-11:30 a.m.

TED Walks! A Discussion and Walking Group

One Friday a month, we'll watch a 20-minute TED talk, discuss it for 20 minutes indoors, then—weather permitting—take a 30-minute walk to continue the discussion. Come for any part of the program. If you want to skip the program and just walk, please contact Courtney at the library and then join us about 10:40.

February 8: Dr. Steven Pinker's 2018 talk *Is the World Getting Better or Worse? A Look at the Numbers*.

Delivery for Housebound Patrons

Our staff will arrange for library materials to be delivered to the homes of residents who are unable to get to the library because of infirmity. To request this service, please call the Circulation Department at (508) 358-2311.

Save the Dates!

WAYLAND READS

Thursday, March 7 at 7 p.m.

Frontline: Egypt in Crisis—a DVD viewing and Q & A with journalist Charles M. Sennott.

Wednesday, March 13 at 7 p.m.

Wayland residents tell their personal stories of immigration.

Tuesday, March 26 at 7:30 p.m.

Caring Communities: Helping Refugees & Torture Survivors in Greater Boston

Sunday, April 7 at 3 p.m.

Author Ian Bassingthwaighte reads from *Live from Cairo.*

Watch for more events!

3D Design Workshops

Sliding Box

TINKERCAD

Using Tinkercad.com, participants will assign specific dimensions to design and create their own sliding box. Some experience with Tinkercad is recommended, but not required.

February 21 5– 6 p.m.

Snowman

Participants will create their own snowman using the digital sculpting tool Sculptris.

SCULPTRIS

February 28 4:30—6 p.m.

Workshops are intended for ages 10 and up. Parents of young children (7-8) are welcome to register but are encouraged to stay and help design with their children. 3D prints are free. Space is limited, so be sure to register!

Armchair Travel: Ethiopia

with John Leupold

Ethiopia is an intriguing mix of ancient and modern, and a land of many superlatives. It has been named the most welcoming country for tourists. It is also

the home of man's ancestors, the land where coffee originated, and the source of the Nile River. Wayland native Leupold leads tours to Ethiopia regularly and is eager to share his perceptions of this fascinating country.

Saturday, February 2 3 p.m.

Needed: Wayland Community Members with a Compelling Immigration Story

Just a few spots left! If you know someone with a great story about their immigration experience—especially if they're a recent transplant—please ask them to get in touch with us. There will be 8 to 10 participants, telling stories that are 3 to 7 minutes long. Time is running out to sign up!

March 13 at 7 p.m.

Contact MJ at mwright@minlib.net or ask for her at 508-358-2311.

Device Advice

Need help with your smartphone or tablet? Contact our reference department to set up an appointment.

Donations to the Friends of the Wayland Public Library are always welcome!

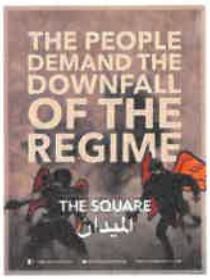
Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Recent Selections from the Wayland Middle School Visual Arts Program

Foyer

Photography and Line Prints by Mei-Ling Ellerman



Documentary Screening

The Square: The Story of Revolution Behind The Headlines

From the 2011 overthrow of a 30-year dictator, through military rule, and culminating with the forced military removal of the Muslim Brotherhood president in the summer of 2013, *The Square* follows a group of Egyptian activists as they battle leaders and regimes, and risk their lives to build a new society of conscience.

Sunday, February 17 2:15 p.m.

Become a Volunteer Tutor

Have you ever thought about tutoring someone in English? Program Director Ginny Steel is currently enrolling prospective tutors for five Monday mornings. The only cost is for a textbook (about $20). For more information or to enroll, call Ginny at 508-358-7517 or email her at virginia@thesteels.com.

February 25; March 4, 11, 18 and 25
9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Great Presenters

Forbidden Love: Chinese and White Mixed Families in the 19th Century

with Emma Teng, Ph.D.

With interracial marriage increasingly common in America today, how much do we know about mixed families in an earlier era? When the first Chinese immigrants came to this country, some married American women and settled here. Others returned to China. What kind of obstacles and reception did they face in a time when interracial marriage was largely taboo, on both sides of the Pacific? Emma J. Teng is the T.T. and Wei Fong Chao Professor of Asian Civilizations at MIT.

Tuesday, March 5 7:30 p.m.

Book Groups

Evening

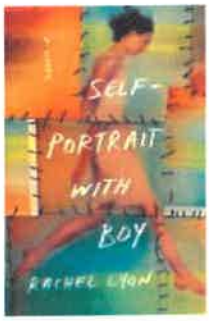
Everything Here is Beautiful
By Mira T. Lee

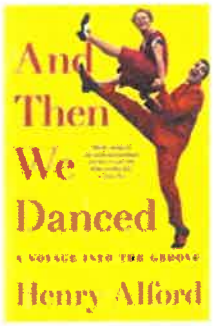
Monday, February 4 7 p.m.

Noon

Self Portrait with Boy by Rachel Lyon

Friday, February 8





Nonfiction

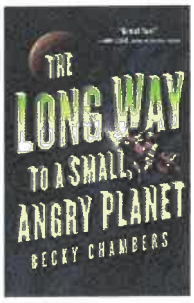
And Then We Danced
by Henry Alford

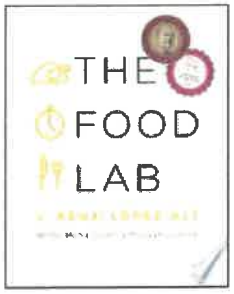
Wednesday, February 13 1 p.m.

Sci-Fi/Dystopian

The Long Way to a Small Angry Planet
by Becky Chambers

Thursday, February 21
7 p.m. in the mezzanine





Cookbook Club

The Food Lab by Kenji Lopez Alt

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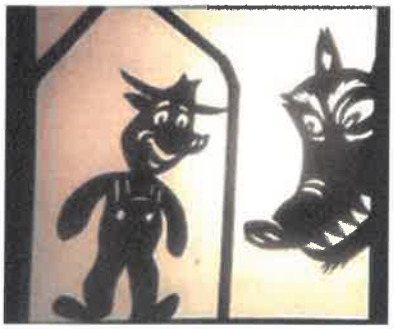
Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio. **Ages 2.5 to 4 years.**

Vacation Week Specials

Thursday, Feb. 21|10:30-11:15 a.m.
Mr. Vinny's Shadow Puppets



Mr. Vinny will delight children with his interactive shadow puppet performance of *"The 12 Lil' Pigs and the Big Bad Pineapple"* and other silly tales. **For ages 3 and up.**

Tuesday, Feb. 19| 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Brick Day: Lego Challenges

Come show off your best building skills in these Lego challenges. There will be prizes! **For ages 5 and up.**

Wednesday, Feb. 20| 2:30-3:30 p.m.
Winter Origami

Children are invited to make winter-themed origami, including 3-D snowflakes and other winter creations! **For ages 7 and up. Limited to 10 children. Registration required.**

Friday, Feb. 22| 11:00-11:30 p.m.
Sensory Storytime

Children will sing songs, listen to stories, and make a simple craft. If your child has difficulty sitting through our other story times, this program might be for you. **For ages 2 and up, with caregiver.**

More Youth Events

Saturdays, Feb. 2, 16 & 23| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Storytime at the Farmer's Market

The librarians from Wayland and Sudbury will hold a storytime on the second floor of Russell's Garden Center, 397 Boston Post Rd.

For babies to age 5, with caregiver.

Wednesday, February 6| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Outer Space!

For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, Feb. 13| 3:30-4:30 p.m.

What's Our Story?: Animal Connections

We will read biographies of three remarkable people with special connections to animals. Children will then make a snow globe with their favorite animal. Led by librarian Elise Katz. **For grades 1 to 3, with caregiver.**

Thursday, Feb. 14| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Drop-in Craft: Valentine's Day

Children are invited to make Valentine's Day cards and crafts.

For children ages 4 and up, with caregiver.

Wednesday, Feb. 20| 11:15–12:00 p.m.

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Storytime, parachute play, and Brain Building activity. Program led by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.

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Parent/Child Book Group

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For 4th and 5th graders with a parent.

Wednesday, February 27| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Let's Build: Fastest Marble Run

Let's Build is a hands-on building workshop for kids in grades 3 through 5. This month's challenge is to build the fastest marble run. **For grades 3 to 5.**

Thursdays, Feb. 21 & 28| 4:30-6:00 p.m.

3D Printing Workshops

Come learn how to design your own 3D-printed sliding box with Tinkercad on Thursday, Feb. 21 or a 3D-printed snowman with Sculptris on Thursday, Feb. 28.

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A Pen/Hemingway Award finalist and a Kirkus Book of the Year, this brilliant, fast-paced novel follows a burnt-out NGO lawyer, a newbie relief worker at a UN resettlement agency, and an Iranian woman desperate to be reunited with her husband in Massachusetts during the tumult of the Arab Spring. Copies are available at the library.

Sunday, April 7 at 3 p.m.: author reading and discussion at the library

Events

Thursday, March 7 at 7 p.m. *Frontline: Egypt in Crisis—a DVD viewing and Q & A with Charles M. Sennott.* Gain an understanding of the political and historical climate in which *Live from Cairo,* takes place. After the documentary screening, journalist Sennott recalls his experience on the ground in Cairo in 2011.

Wednesday, March 13 at 7 p.m. *Immigration Stories.* Local residents will tell their personal stories of immigration from China, Pakistan, Israel, Iran, Nigeria and Japan. A fascinating, "insider's" perspective on a quintessential American experience.

Monday, March 18 at 7:30 p.m. *Immigrants, Asylum Seekers, and Refugees: The Legal Challenges*
Attorneys Susan Cohen and Irene Freidel speak on the challenges and realities facing immigrants in Massachusetts, including how the ICE detention system and the pathways into and out of immigration custody affect our immigrant friends and neighbors.

Tuesday, March 26 at 7:30 p.m. *Look for the Helpers: Services for Refugees in the Boston Area*
What is it like to flee your home and start life over in a new country? What challenges do survivors face as they rebuild their lives after torture and trauma? Panelists Robbie Adams of the Boston Center for Refugee Health & Human Rights and Cheryl Hamilton of the International Institute of New England discuss the diverse needs of immigrants, refugees and torture survivors living in Greater Boston.

Book Discussions

Monday, March 11 at 2 p.m. with librarian Andy Moore (at The Local)
Tuesday, March 19 at 7 p.m. with librarian Courtney Michael
Wednesday, March 27 at 10 a.m. with community member Daryl Mark

Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesdays, March 6 and April 3 10

Poetry Workshop

Thursdays, March 7 and 21 2 p.m.

Annual Poetry Reading

Norm Nichols, a regular member of the Poetry Group, will be the featured speaker.

Sunday, March 31 2:30 p.m.

TED Walks!

A Discussion and Walking Group

We watch a 20-minute TED talk, discuss it for 20 minutes indoors, then continue the conversation on a 30-minute walk. To skip the program and just walk, contact Courtney. This month: Dr. Jill Bolte Taylor's 2008 talk *My Stroke of Insight*.

Friday, March 8 10 a.m.

Genealogy Workshop: Lessons from the Field

Experienced and amateur genealogists will share their own family tree findings. Come ask questions and take advantage of the collective lessons learned. All levels welcome. Registration required.

Thursdays, March 14 and 28 1 p.m.

English Conversation Group For Beginners

Fridays, March 8 and 22
10:30–11:30 a.m.

Temporary Change of Location:
Cochituate Village Community Room
106 Main Street, Wayland

Great Decisions 2019

A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

The Great Decisions program provides background information and policy options for the most critical issues facing America each year and serves as the focus for discussion groups across the country. A copy of the discussion briefing book is available at the library.

Friday, March 1
Refugees & Global Migration

Friday, March 15
The Middle East: Regional Disorder

9:15 — 11:30 a.m.

Best iPhone Apps for Seniors

There are so many available apps, but which ones are really useful? Learn about using your iPhone for mobile banking, recording your stories for your family, tracking flights, and so much more.

Tuesday, March 5 2 p.m.

Craft a Pair of Earrings

with Norma Radoff

If the class is full, it's worth putting yourself on the waiting list. Go to "Events" on our website or call the library to sign up (one class per person, please).

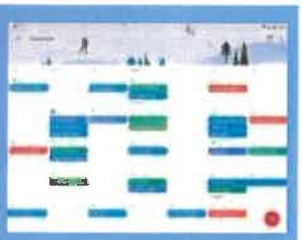
Saturday, March 16 2-3:30 p.m. (currently full)
Saturday, April 20 2-3:30 p.m.

The Friends of the Wayland Library Book and Bake Sale

May 3-5

Book donations always welcome!

Google Calendar Workshop



Why do so many people prefer Google Calendar to paper calendars? Because they can access their calendar on any smartphone, tablet or computer. It's even possible to layer calendars for such things as soccer games, class schedules, appointments, and birthdays. Come with your list of upcoming events to create a calendar you can use right away! Bring your laptop or borrow one of ours. *Registration is recommended but not required. Please email mwright@minlib.net or call the library at 508-358-2311.*

Tuesday, March 19 1:30-3 p.m.

Sponsor a Telescope for the Library

This Orion StarBlast II 4.5 EQ Reflector Telescope comes with a brass plaque on which we'll engrave the name of the generous patron or business who sponsors its purchase. It's the latest—and coolest—addition to our Library of Things. If you're interested, please contact Sandy Raymond at 508-358-2311 or sraymond@minlib.net.

EXHIBITS

Raytheon Room

Still-Lifes
by Wayland High School Art Students

Foyer

Ian Bassingthaighte: Live from Cairo

Author of this year's Wayland Reads selection, Bassingthwaighte is also a noted photographer. These are some of the photos from his Instagram project of words and pictures about the writing of *Live from Cairo*.

The Great Presenters

Forbidden Love: Chinese and White Mixed Families in the 19th Century

with Emma Teng, Ph.D.

With interracial marriage increasingly common in America today, how much do we know about mixed families in an earlier era? When the first Chinese immigrants came to this country, some married American women and settled here. Others returned to China. What kind of obstacles and reception did they face in a time when interracial marriage was largely taboo, on both sides of the Pacific? Emma J. Teng is the T.T. and Wei Fong Chao Professor of Asian Civilizations at MIT.

Tuesday, March 5 7:30 p.m.

Wayland residents can now stream or download 30,000 feature feature films, lectures, and documentaries. kanopy

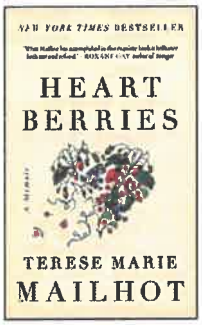
The Softer Side of Celtic

with Jeff Snow

Celtic Culture is woven deeply throughout the fabric of America and especially so in the Northeast. The Softer Side of Celtic combines the music, stories and a wee bit of history from Scotland, Ireland and England into a concert that will inspire singing, laughing, clapping and perhaps a bit of foot stomping.

Saturday, March 9 2-3:30 p.m.

Book Groups

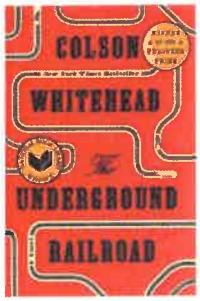


Evening

Heart Berries
by Therese Marie Mailhot

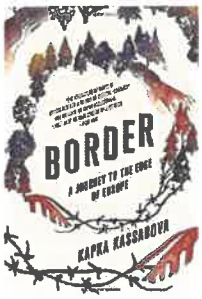
Monday, March 4 7 p.m.

Noon



The Underground Railroad
by Colson Whitehead

Friday, March 8

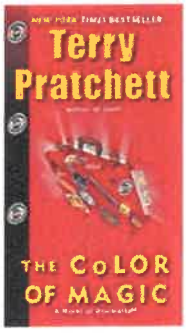


Nonfiction

Border: A Journey to the Edge of Europe
by Kapka Kassabova

Wednesday, March 13 1 p.m.

Sci-Fi/Dystopian



The Color of Magic
by Terry Pratchett

Wednesday, March 13

7 p.m. in the mezzanine

Cookbook Club

Saveur: The New Classics Cookbook
by the editors of Saveur Magazine

Thursday, March 14 6 p.m.

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March 2019 Youth Events & News

Ongoing Programs

Thurs. March 7| 10:30 a.m.

Jeannie Mack

Jeannie Mack will perform all kinds of fun, bounce-around, sing-along songs geared for young children. Plenty of opportunity for audience participation!

Ages babies to 4 years.

Tues. March 5, 12, & 19|10:30 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. March 14 & 28| 10:30 a.m.

Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.

Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tues. March 26| 10:30 a.m.

Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.

Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

Wayland Reads Youth Events

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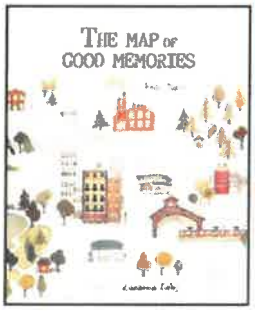
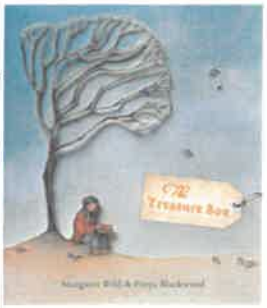
The following events tie in 2019 Wayland Reads focus on refugees.

Wednesday, March 13|3:30-4:30 p.m.

What's Your Story?: Stories of Home





Join us for a reading of these picture books about leaving home. Children will then make their own illustrated books about what home means to them. Program led by librarian Elise Katz. **For grades 1 to 3, with caregiver.**

Wednesday, March 20| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Drop-in Craft: Welcome Cards

Children are invited to make welcome cards and pictures for refugee children arriving in Massachusetts. We will deliver the cards and pictures to the Boston Center for Refugee Health and Human Rights. **For children ages 4 and up, with caregiver.**

We have prepared a few booklists on the refugee and immigrant experience for children and teens. You can find them at the Children's Circulation desk.

More Youth Events

Wednesday, March 6| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Ocean Adventures!
For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesdays, March 13 & 27| 11:15–12:00 p.m.

Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Saturdays, March 2 & 16| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Storytime at the Farmer's Market

Join librarians from Wayland and Sudbury for storytime at the Wayland Winter Farmer's Market.
Storytimes will be held on the second floor of Russell's Garden Center, 397 Boston Post Road.
For ages babies to 5, with caregiver.

Saturday, March 23| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Sensory Storytime

Children will sing songs, listen to stories, and make a simple craft. If your child has difficulty sitting though our storytimes, this program might be for you.
Sensory Storytime is designed for children with autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration issues, other developmental disabilities, and their typically developing peers. **For ages 2 and up, with caregiver.**

Thursday, March 14| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Celebrate Pi Day

Drop in on Pi Day, 3/14, for a scavenger hunt, math-related games, and crafts. We will make fortune tellers, bracelets, and puzzles, and eat some delicious pie! **For ages 5 and up.**

Wednesday, March 20| 11:15-12:00 p.m.

Brain Building Storytime

Storytime, parachute play, and Brain Building activity. Program led by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For children ages 2 to 5, with caregiver.

Wednesday, March 20| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Parent/Child Book Club

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders with a parent. March's book is *The Last Kids on Earth* by Max Brallier.
For 4th and 5th graders with a parent.

Thursday, March 21| 10:30-11:00 a.m.

Storytime with Corbyn

Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Corbyn, a beautiful Samoyed. **For ages 3 and up.**

Wednesday, March 27| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Let's Build: Tallest Paper Tower

Let's Build is a hands-on building workshop for kids in grades 3-5. This month's challenge is to build the tallest paper
For kids in grades 3-5.

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WAYLAND READS

Author Appearance

Ian Bassingthwaighte: *Live from Cairo*

The author of this year's Wayland Reads selection will read from and discuss his novel in the Library North Wing. Ian Bassingthwaighte worked in a legal aid office that served refugees from Iraq, Sudan, and the Horn of Africa. He has been honored with Hopwood Awards for both novel writing and short fiction. He was also named as a finalist for the Daniel Pearl Investigative Journalism Initiative. *Live from Cairo* was a Pen/Hemingway Award finalist and a Kirkus Book of the Year

Sunday, April 7 3-4:30 p.m.

The Great Presenters

From the Streets to the Galleries: Japanese Woodblock Prints at the MFA

with Joan Blair

The Museum of Fine Arts has almost 50,000 Japanese woodblock prints—the largest collection outside of Japan. Considered ordinary posters by 19th-century Japanese, they came to be appreciated by Western artists of the time and collected by unconventional Bostonians who subsequently donated them to the MFA. Some 100 years later, those collections were finally prepared for display by a dedicated group of volunteers. Joan will speak about the prints, her experience on that team and how it opened the door to a post-retirement career as an MFA docent.

Tuesday, April 9 7:30 p.m.

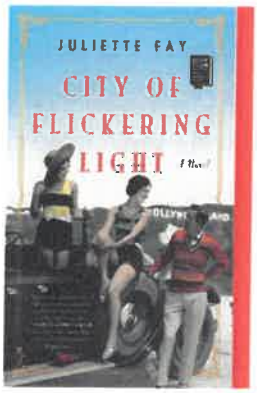
Author Appearance

City of Flickering Light Book Launch

with Juliette Fay

In *City of Flickering Light*, Juliette Fay crafts another radiant and fascinating historical novel as thrilling as the bygone era of Hollywood itself. Come celebrate this Wayland author's latest novel with a reception in the Rotunda.

Wednesday, April 3 7 p.m.



The Library will be closed on April 15 for Patriots Day and April 21 for Easter.

Unseen Treasures of the Northern Cloud Forest of Peru

Only in the last 50 years, a small group of archaeologists and professional explorers have begun to reveal the stunning treasures of the Chachapoya. We invite you to discover some of these unseen wonders when Daniel Fernandez-Davila, Peruvian archaeologist, brings alive the warriors of the northern cloud forest of Peru.

Wednesday, April 10
7 p.m.

Introduction to Jewish Genealogy

Presenter Carol Clingan has traced her grandparents' families back to the early 19th century in the former Soviet Union, and has done extensive research for other relatives and friends. She is the Research Projects Coordinator of the Jewish Genealogical Society of Greater Boston, and has been a member of the Board for 17 years.

Sunday, April 14 2 p.m.

Ask the Ornithologist

with Brian Harris

Where's the best place for birding in Wayland? What kinds of birds will I see? How can I attract birds to my yard? What seed should I put out? Ornithologist (and Wayland Conservation Commission Land Manager) Brian Harris will give a brief presentation on birding in Wayland, showcasing his photography. Then he'll answer all those questions, and any others you might have.

Wednesday, April 17 7:30 p.m.

Google Drive Basics

In this hands-on workshop, students will learn the basic features of Google's online storage and document services. Bring your own laptop or use one of ours. Class is limited to 5 students. Please sign up online or by calling the library.

Tuesday, April 9 1:30–3 p.m.

Book and Bake Sale

the friends OF THE Wayland Public Library

Saturday, May 4
10 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Sunday, May 5 12-4 p.m.

Preview for Friends of the Wayland Library
Friday, May 3 5-8 p.m.

Book donations will be accepted in the Town Hall Large Hearing Room on Wednesday and Thursday, May 1 and 2. Baked goods will be accepted from Friday until the end of the sale on Sunday. This fundraiser helps support many library programs, including museum passes.
Bakers needed!

Author Appearance

Votes for Women: Massachusetts Leaders in the Women's Suffrage Movement

with Barbara Berenson

Author of *Massachusetts in the Woman Suffrage Movement*, Berenson tells the story of the national suffrage movement, giving this state's suffragists their due. Long before the Civil War, Lucy Stone and other abolitionists launched the organized women's movement. After the war, state activists founded the Boston-based American Woman Suffrage Association to lead campaigns across the country. Their work laid the foundation for the next generation of suffragists to triumph over tradition.

Wednesday, April 24 7 p.m.

April 2019

Learn about Pollinators and Make a Mason Bee Hotel

Insects pollinate by accident, but for us humans pollination is absolutely essential: one third of all plant species that become our food require pollination, accounting for over half of our food supply by volume. Wayland resident **Kaat Vander Straeten** will teach us about pollination from the point of view of the insects, the flowers, the farmer and the 100% of our population that gets to eat! Keep your hands busy while you learn by constructing a mason bee hotel. Mason bees are solitary bees, unlike the honey bee who builds a hive. Female mason bees build their own nests, gather their own food, and lay their own eggs. With all this work to do, mason bees are far too busy to be aggressive towards people.

Thursday, April 25 7:30 p.m.

TED WALKS

A Discussion & (Optional) Walking Group

Topic: *Why Humans Run the World* with speaker Yuval Noah Harari

Friday, April 26
10-11:15 a.m. starting in the Raytheon Room

Help Shape the Library's Future

To qualify for essential funds from the state, we have to submit a Strategic Plan every five years. An integral part of crafting that plan is learning what library patrons want from us. Please take just a few minutes to complete the survey at www.surveymonkey.com/r/DQQCHWJ (you'll have to type the URL into your browser). Thanks!

Craft a Pair of Earrings

with Norma Radoff

Design your own earrings using pearls, stones, glass beads and more! Space is limited and registration is required. Go to "Events" on our website or call the library to sign up.

Saturday, April 20 2 p.m.

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Art from Room A141

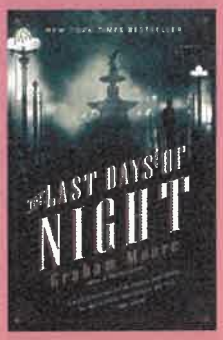
This show features work by Mrs. O'Connell's WHS students in Art 1, Art 2, Jewelry & Metalsmithing, and Ceramics. The exhibition displays a range of work from grades 9-12 in a variety of media, indicating the many subjects, tools, and media that filter through Room A141.

Foyer

Photographs by Ian Bassingthwaighte

WAYLAND READS

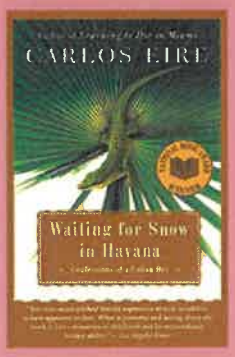
Book groups



EVENING

The Last Days of Night
by Graham Moore

Monday, April 8 7 p.m.



NON-FICTION

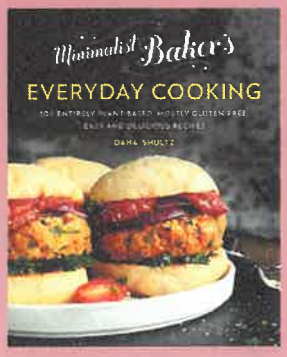
Waiting for Snow in Havana
by Carlos Eire

Wednesday April 10 1 p.m.

DYSTOPIAN / SCI-FI

Before She Sleeps by Bina Shah

Wednesday, April 10 7 p.m.



COOKBOOK CLUB

Minimalist Baker's Everyday Cooking
by Dana Schultz

Thursday, April 11 6 p.m.

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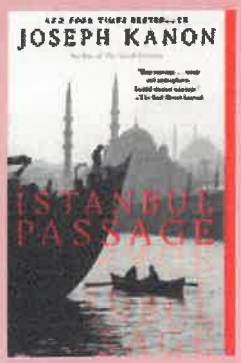
Istanbul Passage by Joseph Kanon

Friday, April 12



Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesdays, April 3 and May 1
10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursdays, April 4 and 18
2 - 4 p.m.

Beginners English Conversation Group

Fridays, April 5 and 19
10:30-11:30 a.m.

Temporary Location: Cochituate Village Apartments Community Room at 106 Main Street in Wayland.

Genealogy Workshop

Registration is required by signing up online or calling the library.

Thursday, April 11 1-3 p.m.

Great Decisions

A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

Friday, April 12
Gobal Health: Progress and Challenges

Friday, June 1
Turkey: A Partner in Crisis

All programs are from 9:15 - 11:30 a.m.

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Dueling Dragons: The Struggle for Ireland 1849-1875

Marjorie Harshaw Robie's unique perspective comes from family diaries she found after an epic search, and from other first-hand accounts from newspapers and personal letters of the time. It includes the lives of three remarkable, interconnected men who struggled through much of the 19th century in a rapidly changing Ireland, and whose stories were told by their own hand or the news of the day.

Sunday, May 19 2:30 p.m.

Wayland and the Mass Central Railroad

In 1870 Wayland voted overwhelmingly to invest in the new Central Massachusetts Railway Company if the company would connect Wayland to Boston, as well as to points west. Did the residents of 1870 make a good decision? How would Wayland be different today if that vote had gone the other way? When did service on this line end (not a simple question), and why? Speaker Joel Angiolillo is a Weston resident.

Wednesday, May 29 7:30 p.m.

Spring Book and Bake Sale

the friends OF THE Wayland Public Library

Saturday, May 4 10 a.m.- 4 p.m.

Sunday, May 5 12-4 p.m.

Preview for Friends of the Wayland Library
Friday, May 3 5-8 p.m.

You can donate your books at the Town Hall Large Hearing Room on Wednesday and Thursday, May 1 and 2. Baked goods will be accepted from Friday until the end of the sale on Sunday. This fundraiser helps support many library programs, including museum passes.

Trivia Night is Back

We play four rounds of five questions each. Categories vary and include current affairs, pop culture, sports, history, science, and everything in-between. Watch our Facebook page for clues!

Registration is required. Sign up as a team of 2-6 people, or as an individual willing to be placed on a team.

Thursday, May 16 7-9 p.m.

New Monthly ESL Short Readings Group

Read a short story or article in class, discuss the reading, and practice your English skills. No preparation needed! This group is best for intermediate and advanced English speakers. Registration is required. Know someone who could benefit? Spread the word!

Starts Monday, May 20 10-11:30 a.m.

The Library will be closed on Monday, May 27 for Memorial Day.

Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesdays, May 1 and June 5 10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursdays, May 2 and 16 2 p.m.

English Conversation Group For Beginners

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Temporary Change of Location:

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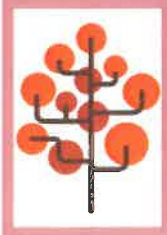

Genealogy Workshop

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Thursday, May 9 and 23 1-3 p.m.

Topic: *How to Make Stress Your Friend* with Kelly McGonigal

Friday, May 10 10-11:15 a.m. starting in the Raytheon Room

Great Decisions

A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

Friday, May 17 9:15 - 11:30 a.m.

Topic: *Global Health: Progress and Challenges*

Decoupage Tray Workshop with Elise Katz

Wooden trays will be provided to all participants. Using Mod Podge and choosing from a broad selection of special papers, including maps, musical scores, children's books pages, etc., participants will create a decoupage tray. Participants are also encouraged to bring their own special papers, if they prefer. Limited to 10 participants. You can register online or by calling the library.

Saturday, May 18 2-3:30 p.m.

Shower for Shelters

The Sudbury-Wayland-Lincoln Domestic Violence Roundtable is holding a "Shower for Shelters" **through Monday, May 13.** Families transitioning from a shelter appreciate your gift of new household items to help them establish their new homes. Unwrapped gifts (new items only, please) may be delivered to the Wayland Library. Kitchen and bathroom items are particularly useful, as are bed linens.

Add Library Events to Your Calendar

Next time you peruse the library's online calendar, note the "add to calendar" button on our event listings: you can use it to add the event to your personal online calendar. Watch for this function in our weekly "This Week" event listings as well. If you have any questions, ask at to info@waylandlibrary.org.

Foyer Exhibit Space Available for August and November 2019

If you are interested in exhibiting your work, please speak with M.J. Wright in person or by calling the library at 508-358-2311.

Meet New WPL Staff Member Elizabeth Bradley

Elizabeth comes to us from the Wellesley Council on Aging to take on the position of Office Manager (lately vacated by the magnificent Christine Pier). This is one of the most complex, demanding jobs in the Library, one not for the faint of heart. Elizabeth, however, is a marathoner, so we're confident she can go the distance. We wish Christine all the best in this new chapter of

Manage Your Stress with Acupuncture

with Saharnaz Rezania

Learn how acupuncture can help keep us healthy as a preventive measure, as well as help us regain our health when disease has just started. Understand how acupuncture can complement western medicine. Saharnaz Rezania, practitioner of Chinese medicine, will discuss the root of over 90% of diseases from the Chinese medicine perspective and how to prevent them.

Tuesday, May 7 7 p.m.

Exhibits

Foyer

Loons of Belgrade Lakes, Maine

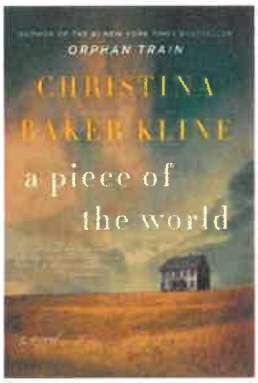
Photographs by Peter Agnes

Raytheon Room

Stained Glass Sky

Kira Seamon's kaleidoscope photography recombines the leaves and branches of colorful trees into fascinating new shapes and patterns reminiscent of stained glass. Large flower photos complete this seasonal installation.

Book groups



EVENING

A Piece of the World by Christina Baker Kline

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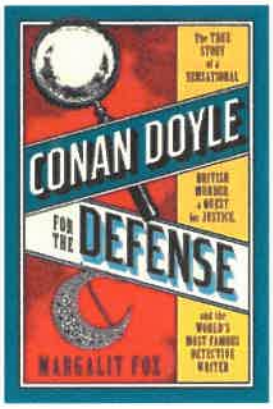


NON-FICTION

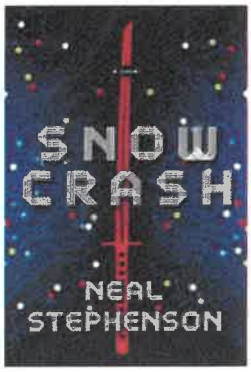
Conan Doyle for the Defense by Margalit Fox

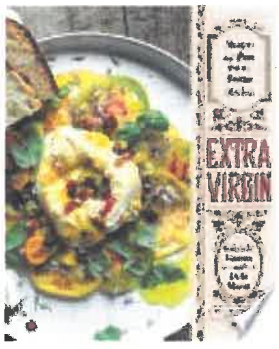
Wednesday May 8 1 p.m.

DYSTOPIAN / SCI-FI

Snow Crash by Neal Stephenson

Wednesday, May 8 7 p.m.





COOKBOOK CLUB

Extra Virgin by Dana Schultz

Thursday, May 9 6 p.m.

NOON

The Golden Legend by Nadeem Aslam

Friday, May 10

Staff Favorite DVDs

Blackkklansman
Blindspotting
Can You Ever Forgive Me?
Free Solo
A Girl Walks Home Alone at Night
Green Book
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Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse

TV Series

Crazy Ex-Girlfriend
Line of Duty
Penny Dreadful
Schitt's Creek
Shameless
Sharp Objects
Shetland
What We Do in the Shadows

Help Shape the Library's Future

As part of creating our state-mandated Strategic Plan, we're holding an open meeting to discuss the future of the Library—and the town—over the next five years. It's essential that we hear from the wider community. Please attend if you can, and offer your thoughts. RSVP at info@waylandlibrary.org or 508-358-2311.

Thursday, May 30 7 p.m.

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May 2019 Youth Events & News

Ongoing Programs

Tues. May 7, 14, & 21|10:30 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. May 9| 10:30 a.m.

Storytime with Corbyn

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Ages 3 and up.

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Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.

Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tues. May 28| 10:30 a.m.

Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.

Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

Saturday, May 4|10:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Brain Building Literacy Fair

Join us for our first ever Literacy Fair! We will have brain-building activities, a sing-along with Jeannie Mack, face painting, refreshments, and a visit from Curious George.

10:30-12:30 Brain-building activities run by local early childhood programs.

11:00-11:45 Sing-along with Jeannie Mack

12:00-12:30 Storytime with librarian

For toddlers, preschoolers, and their parents.

Wednesday, May 8|3:30-5:00 p.m.

Drop-in Craft: Make a Mother's Day Gift

Drop in to make a gift and card for mom before Mother's Day, May 12. The best gifts are homemade with love! **For ages 4 & up.**

Wednesday, May 22| 3:30-4:30 p.m.

What's Our Story?

Planting Trees

Join us for a reading of these picture book biographies about two remarkable women with a passion for planting trees: Wangari Maathai and Kate Sessions. Children will then decorate pots and plant their own pizza herb gardens. Program led by librarian Elise Katz. **For grades 1 through 3, with caregiver.**

More Youth Events

Wednesday, May 1| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Star Wars! **For children ages 5 and up.**

Thursday, May 2| 10:30–11:00 a.m.

Music & Movement

Miss Maureen will lead kids and caregivers in upbeat songs, dances, and stretches. **For walkers to age 5.**

Wednesdays, May 8 & 22| 11:30-12:15 p.m.

Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families. **For ages 0 to 3 years, with caregiver.**

Monday, May 13| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Sensory Storytime

Children will sing songs, listen to stories, and make a simple craft. If your child has difficulty sitting though our storytimes, this program might be for you. *Sensory Storytime is designed for children with autism spectrum disorders, sensory integration issues, other developmental disabilities.* **For ages 2 and up, with caregiver.**

Wednesdays, May 15 & 29| 11:30-12:15 p.m.

Brain Building Storytime

Storytime, parachute play, and Brain Building activity. Program led by Beverly Mobilia. **For children ages 2 to 5, with caregiver.**

Wednesday, May 15| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Let's Build: Lego Mystery Challenges

Let's Build is a hands-on building workshop for kids in grades 3-5. This month's challenge is a mystery Lego challenge. Pick a card and build as many challenges as you want. **For kids in grades 3-5.**

Saturday, May 18| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Saturday Storytime

Join Miss Maureen for stories, songs, and a craft at this Saturday storytime. **For babies to age 5, with caregiver.**

Wednesday, May 22| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Parent/Child Book Club

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders with a parent. May's book is *We're Not From Here* by Geoff Rodkey. **For 4th and 5th graders and their parents.**

Wednesday, May 29| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Drop-in Family Game Day

Spend quality time with your kids and play games at the library! We will have board games and card games set up to play. **For ages 4 and up, with caregiver.**

Coming soon!

Summer Reading

We are gearing up for summer reading! Look for the Wayland children's librarians at school visits in May and June. Sign-ups for Read to Bead begin June 17. The 3D-printed beads will be back this year! **For ages 3 and up.**

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Newsletter June, 2019

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Enjoy Outdoor Museums and Parks This Summer with a Library Pass

The Friends of the Library provide some great passes for outdoor exploration:

- Davis Farmland
- Drumlin Farm
- Franklin Park/Stone Zoos
- Garden In The Woods
- GO Pass
- Massachusetts State Parks
- Roger Williams Park Zoo
- Tower Hill Botanic Garden

Indoor / outdoor venues:

- DeCordova Museum & Sculpture Park
- Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum
- John F. Kennedy Library
- The Ecotarium
- Fruitlands

Reserve up to 21 days in advance. Go to waylandlibrary.org and click on the Museum Pass icon or call us at 508-358-2311.

ON THURSDAY, JUNE 13, THE LIBRARY WILL BE CLOSED UNTIL 2 P.M. FOR STAFF TRAINING.

Vicarious Vacations: Puerto Rico

with Rachel Borges

Rachel will showcase the variety of things to do and explore on every part of the island. We will visit each coast, the central mountain range and the famous city of San Juan. Despite the damage done by Hurricane Maria, the island is still an amazing place to see. All the natural beauty of this paradise is still there for you to discover!

Wednesday, June 12 7 p.m.

Woodstock: A 50th Anniversary Multimedia and Participatory Celebration

Combining rare audio, archival film, captivating stories, songs, and guided music-making, master percussionist, author, educator, and radio host Craig Harris will be leading a multimedia, participatory, and fun-filled 50th anniversary celebration of the culturally groundbreaking Woodstock Music and Art Festival.

Thursday, June 27 2 p.m.

Weekend summer hours, starting June 22: Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Closed Sundays

Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesday, June 5 10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursday, June 6 and 20
2 p.m.

Beginner's English Conversation Group

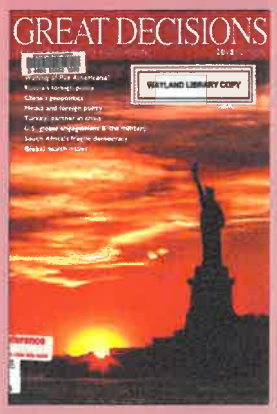
Every Friday this month!

June 7,14, 21 and 28

10:30-11:30 a.m.

Location:

Cochituate Village Community Room
106 Main Street, Wayland



Great Decisions

A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

June 7: Global Health: Decoding U.S.-China Trade

June 21: Cyber Conflict & Geopolitics

Fridays 9:15 - 11:30 a.m.

Topic: *What Makes a Good Life* with Prof. Robert Waldinger

Thursday, June 27
10-11:15 a.m., starting in the Raytheon Room

Take the Adult Summer Reading Challenge and Win Prizes!

Who: Any adult with a library card.
What: Earn raffle tickets for reading and for library-related activities. Log your progress online, call, or stop by the Reference Desk to report your activities.
When: Sign up beginning **June 12th**. Tickets can be earned **June 12th through August 29th**.
Where: The Wayland Library and wherever you read.
Why: Dude—*Prizes!* Oh, and, of course, reading is good. And so is supporting the Library.

One-On-One Genealogy Help

Just getting started and don't know where to begin? Having trouble organizing and confirming your genealogy finds? Out on a limb on your family tree? Get one-on-one help from experienced genealogists. Sign up by Sunday for a 15-minute session the following Thursday, then meet your genealogist at the Reference Desk.

Thursdays, 1-2 p.m., June through August

A new generation of cold-climate heat pumps has significantly less environmental impact than conventional heating systems, can save on energy costs (especially for those using oil or propane), and provide air conditioning as an additional benefit. If your existing heating system is more than 15 years old and you want to know about alternatives to oil, gas, or propane; and if you want to learn about financial rebates and incentives for heating, join us for an informative evening sponsored by Energize Wayland.

Tuesday, June 11 7 p.m.

New Monthly ESL Short Readings Group

Read a short story or article in class, discuss the reading and practice your English skills. No preparation needed! This group is best for intermediate and advanced English speakers. Registration is required. Know someone who could benefit? Spread the word!

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Stained Glass Sky

Kira Seamon's kaleidoscope photography recombines the leaves and branches of colorful trees into fascinating new shapes and patterns reminiscent of stained glass. Large flower photos complete this seasonal installation.

Foyer

Wayland Public Schools Arts Faculty

Veronique Latimer and Amy O'Connell of the High School, and Pete Curran of the Middle School, share personal work that represents the creative process they model for their students.

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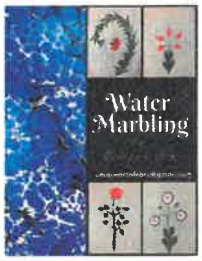
Documentaries

Brother Outsider
Cameraperson
City of Gold
The Gleaners and I
Itzhak
Tim's Vermeer

Water Marbling Workshop with Dilber Er

Join local Ebru expert, Dilber Er, who will give you a little background and a demonstration before turning the materials over to you to try yourself. And you will walk away with your own beautiful creation! Space is limited, so sign up soon.



Saturday, June 8 1-3:30 p.m.

Add Library Events to Your Calendar

Next time you peruse the library's online calendar, note the "add to calendar" button on our event listings: you can use it to add the event to your personal online calendar. Watch for this function in our weekly "This Week" event listings as well. If you have any questions, ask at info@waylandlibrary.org.

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A Gentleman in Moscow / Amor Towles
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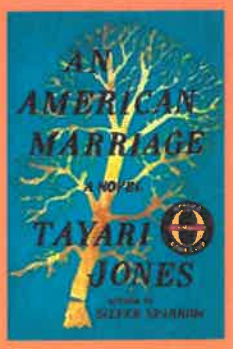
The Hate U Give / Angie Thomas
Last Days of Night / Graham Moore
The Lion in the Livingroom / Abigail Tucker
Lovely War / Julie Barry (Teen)
The Night Circus / Erin Morgenstern
Paris Architect / Charles Balfour
Refuge / Dina Nayeri
Sadie / Courtney Summers (Young Adult)
Where the Crawdads Sing / Delia Owens

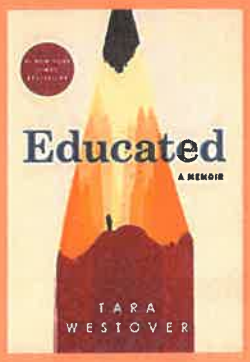
Book groups

Evening

An American Marriage
by Tayari Jones

Monday, June 3 7 p.m.





Non-Fiction

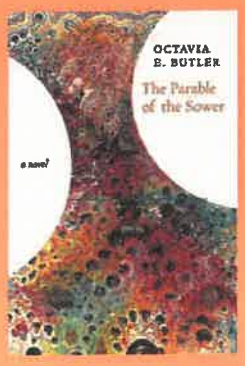
Educated by Tara Westover

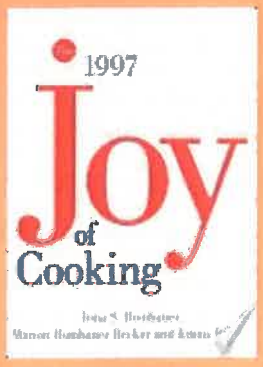
Wednesday, June 12 1 p.m.

Dystopian / Sci-Fi

The Parable of the Sower
by Octavia Butler

Wednesday, June 12 7 p.m.





Cookbook Club

The Joy of Cooking

Thursday, June 13 6 p.m.

Noon

Manhattan Beach
by Jennifer Egan

Friday, June 14 12 p.m.

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June, 2019 Youth Events & News

Ongoing Programs

Thurs. June 6| 10:30 a.m.
Jeannie Mack

Jeannie Mack will perform all kinds of fun, bounce-around, sing-along songs geared for young children. Plenty of opportunity for audience participation!
Ages babies to 4 years.

Tues. June 4, 11, 18, & 25| 10:30 a.m.
Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.
Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. June 20 & 27| 10:30 a.m.
Storyvine

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Mon. June 17| 3:30 p.m.
Storytime with Corbyn

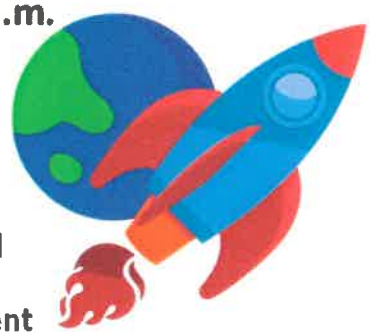
Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Corbyn, a beautiful Samoyed. Drop-in!

Ages 3 and up.

Summer Reading 2019:
A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

The Wayland Public Library's Summer Reading Program *A Universe of Stories* starts on Wednesday June 12th. See the next page for more details!

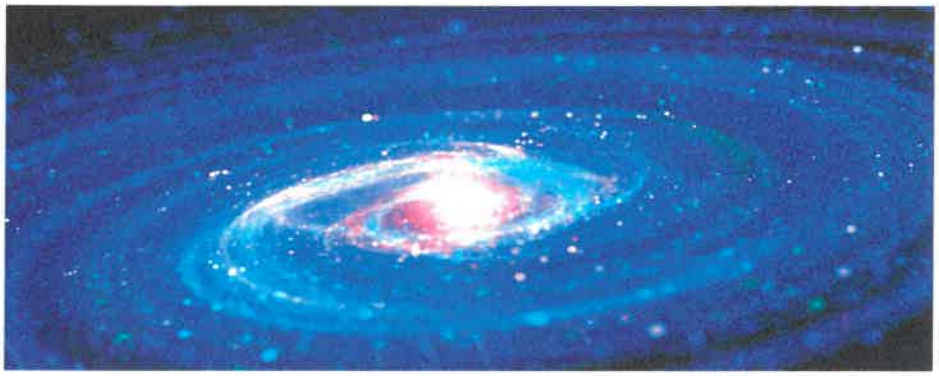
Wednesday, June 19 | 3:00-3:45 p.m.
Out of this World Magic Show with Scott Jameson



Magician and juggler Scott Jameson will kick off our Summer Reading Program with a performance that will explore the science of space travel. Juggling, magic, music, and movement combine with audience participation to create an exciting and interactive theatrical experience. **For ages 4 and up.**

Tuesday, June 25| 2:00-3:45 p.m.
Blue Star Planetarium

The Blue Star Planetarium will be coming to Wayland! This indoor planetarium will be set up in the Rotunda. There will be two shows:
2:00-2:45 p.m. In My Backyard. For ages preK-grade 2.
3:00-3:45 p.m. Oasis in Space. For grades 2 and up.
Limited tickets will be given out starting at 1pm.



More Youth Events

Wednesday, June 5| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Design and build a playground!
For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, June 12| 11:30–12:15 p.m.

Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Wednesday, June 12| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Mystery Bag STEAM Challenge

Children will complete fun design challenges using only the materials provided in a mystery bag!
For ages 4 and up, with caregiver.

Wednesday, June 26| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Create Your Own Planet

Children will create their own planets with spin-art, torn paper, goop, and recycled CDs. Led by librarian Elise Katz.
For ages 4 and up.

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

Sign up for our Summer Reading Program *A Universe of Stories* on June 12th, or any day after. This summer we will Read to Bead! When you sign up you will get a goodie bag, a brag tag, a necklace chain, and a paper log to keep track of your reading. For every 15 minutes you read you will earn a bead to add to your brag tag necklace. The more you read, the more beads you earn! You can also use our online program Beanstack to track your reading and earn activity badges. All children who participate in summer reading will be given a free book.

We are offering lots of entertaining programs throughout the summer, including a magic show with Scott Jameson, a visit from the Blue Star Planetarium, a Song and Dance from Around the Planet concert, a puppet show, a Rube Goldberg Machine workshop, a moon party, a Star Wars Day, craft programs, a glow in the dark storytime, an Ice Cream Social, and more!

The Summer Reading Club is funded by the Friends of the Wayland Library, the Wayland Cultural Council, the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners, and the Boston Bruins.

WAYLAND FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Newsletter July, 2019

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Spotlight on the New England Aquarium

The New England Aquarium has opened up their passes to the summer months! We now have coupons for the months of July and August. However, the pricing of the tickets has been altered. Coupons are now 50% off admission rather than $10/per person.

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Who: Any adult with a library card.

What: Earn raffle tickets for reading and for library-related activities. Log your progress online, call, or stop by the Reference Desk to report your activities.

When: Sign up at waylandlibrary.beanstack.com or at the Reference Desk and get started! Tickets can be earned **now through August 29th**.

Where: The Wayland Library and wherever you read.

Ukulele Club

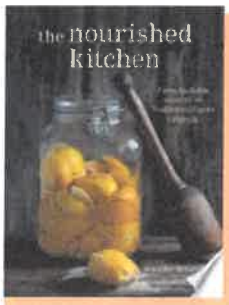
with Mark and Zoe Hughes

The Wayland Ukulele Club is for any adult (ages 16+) who wants to have fun with music. All skill levels are welcome.

Starting off with easy chords and tunes, we'll learn and play songs from across the musical spectrum, from oldies to modern pop.

Four sessions on Tuesday evenings:
July 9, 16, 23, and 30 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Registration required. Limit 20 students.
BYOU. *Wayland Library has four ukuleles available to borrow for 3 weeks at a time, but we can't guarantee their availability. If ours are checked out, other local libraries lending ukuleles include Framingham, Weston, and Wellesley.*



Cookbook Club

The Nourished Kitchen

by Jennifer McGruther

Thursday, July 11 6 p.m.

Collage Workshop

Cut! Paste! Create! Let your creativity loose in our collage workshop. Leader Corey Purcell will give a brief overview of collage as an art form and then we'll have fun cutting and pasting from magazines and maps. Ages 12 and up. No registration required.

Monday, July 22 3-4:30 p.m.

Weekend summer hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Closed Sundays.

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Thursdays, July 11, 18 and 25 1 p.m.

Beginner's English Conversation Group

July 12, 19 and 26

10:30-11:30 a.m.

Location:

Cochituate Village Community Room
106 Main Street, Wayland

New!

Monthly ESL Short Readings Group

Read a short story or article in class, discuss the reading, and practice your English skills. No preparation needed! This group is best for intermediate and advanced English speakers. Know someone who could benefit? Spread the word! Registration is required.

Monday, July 15 and August 12
10-11:30 a.m.

Sign up for our email newsletter at

waylandlibrary.org

under "About Us"!

3D Printing: Rocketships

In this 3D workshop, children will design their own rocketships using Blender. For ages 9 and up. Parents of younger children (8 years) are welcome to register, but are encouraged to stay and designe with their children. Led by librarian Tyler Kenney. *Registration is required either on the library's online event calendar or by calling the library.*

Thursday, July 25 4-5:30 p.m.

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Sadie / Courtney Summers (Young Adult)
Where the Crawdads Sing / Delia Owens

Book a Librarian

We love to help patrons, but sometimes we need more time than either you or we have at the moment. With the Book-a-Librarian service, one of our reference librarians will meet with you for half an hour to personally assist with research questions, technology, downloading ebooks, resume/job search questions, and more. Please call 508-358-2311 ext. 24 to set up an appointment.

Colorblindness Glasses Might Just Change Your View Of the World

These amazing glasses have specialized lens that filter out certain colors, allowing the wearer to better tell colors apart. Intended for outdoor use, they're large enough to fit over most prescription glasses. Ask for them at the Reference Desk.

Book Donations

Admit it: you'll never read them again and you could use the space. Donate those books to the Friends of the WPL!

Hotspots for Loan

Going somewhere with spotty wi-fi? Take along a Hotspot! You can't reserve for a specific date, but you can get yourself in the queue. Hotspots circulate for two weeks. Reserve one online by doing a keyword search for "Wayland hotspot" or ask a staff member to help.

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Brief Encounters:

Photographs by Wendy Seadia

Wendy includes an assortment of photos from different parts of her life: travels, family, garden, and other places

Foyer

Handblock Printing and Photography

by Mei-Ling Ellerman

Mei-Ling will show her handblock printing from the last two years, which features designs from nature, wildlife, and ancient Asian patterns. She hand-carves each block and then prints the work by hand on paper or fabric. She will also display some of her photographs, most of which were taken during trips planned specifically to photograph birds and animals in the wild.

Whistleblower Wednesdays: A Film Series

The drama, the subterfuge, the moral dilemma....This summer, enjoy classic and modern movies about whistleblowers, showing on select Wednesdays at the library. **Movies start at 6:30 p.m. Popcorn and lemonade provided.**

July 3: *On the Waterfront* (1954)
July 17: *Serpico (*1973)
July 24: *The China Syndrome* (1979)
July 31: *North Country* (2005)
August 7: *The Informant* (2009)
August 28: *The Fifth Estate* (2013)

Enjoy Outdoor Museums and Parks this Summer with a Library Pass

The Friends of the Library provide some great passes for outdoor exploration:

- Davis Farmland
- Drumlin Farm
- Franklin Park/Stone Zoos
- Garden In The Woods
- GO Pass
- Massachusetts State Parks
- Roger Williams Park Zoo
- Tower Hill Botanic Garden

Indoor / outdoor venues:

- DeCordova Museum & Sculpture Park
- Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum
- John F. Kennedy Library
- The Ecotarium
- Fruitlands

Reserve up to 21 days in advance by clicking on the Museum Pass icon at waylandlibrary.org, or call us at 508-358-2311.

It's Not All Books and Media Anymore

Check out something from our growing Library of Things. How about a:

- Ukulele
- Elgato video capture unit
- Sprint Hotspot
- Dell Chromebook
- Pair of colorblindness sunglasses
- Film to digital converter
- USB turntable to convert vinyl to mp3
- External DVD Drive
- Portable car vacuum

Database of the Month

Access World News by Newsbank

Access World News not only covers a vast array of topics and issues from more than 10,000 news sources. It also arranges articles in easy-to-use subject headings, and allows you to create a folder to store selected articles. Special Reports take an in-depth look at important subjects, and Hot Topics gathers together the most current articles on important research areas.

WAYLAND FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

July, 2019 Youth Events & News

Summer Reading Program 2019

A UNIVERSE OF STORIES

Sign up now at the library or online!

Ongoing Programs

Tues. July 2, 9, 23, & 30 | 10:30 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.
Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. July 11, 18, & 25| 10:30 a.m.

Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.
Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Mon. July 10 & 24 | 11:30- 12:15pm

Inclusive Playgroup

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Wednesday, July 10 | 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Song and Dance from Around the Planet

International jazz multi-instrumentalist Sagit Zilberman will perform an interactive global music program for families and children. Held in the Rotunda.
For all ages.

Tuesday, July 16| 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Sparky's Puppets: Stories from Outer Space

The stories in this show include the adventures of a space traveler who flies to the moon, Aesop's fable *The Sun and the Wind*, and aliens traveling to Earth in a flying saucer!
For ages 3 and up.

Tuesday, July 23| 2:00-4:00 p.m.

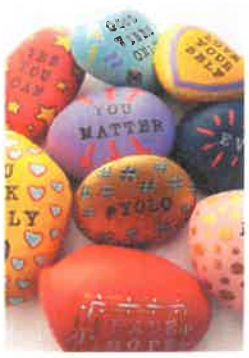
Build a Rube Goldberg Machine with Jay Mankita

Playful Engineers teaching artist Jay Mankita will present a workshop in which participants will have a chance to design, build, test, and play with Rube Goldberg "Machines", and other chain reactions.
For ages 5 and up.

More Youth Events

Tuesday, July 2| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

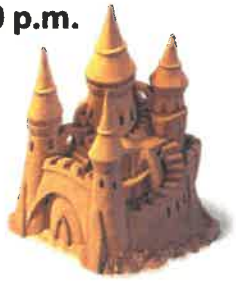
Drop-in Craft: Kindness Rocks



Children are invited to decorate their own kindness rocks. This project is inspired by Linda Kranz's book *Only One You.*
For ages 5 and up.

Thursday, July 11| 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Make a Moonscape



Children will sculpt and decorate lunar sandcastles using moon sand!
For ages 3 and up.

Thursday, July 18| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Moon Party

Let's celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 Moon Landing! There will be astronaut activities, galactic crafts, and lunar experiments.
For ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, July 24| 3:30-4:00 p.m.

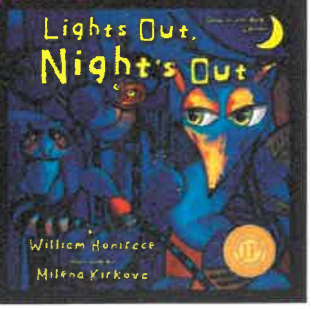
In My Backyard Nature Storytime

Children will listen to stories and do a nature activity. Weather permitting, we will meet on the lawn behind the library.
Program led by Beverly Mobilia of Community Partnerships for Children and Families .
For ages 2.6 to 5 years.

Thursday, July 25| 6:30-7:00 p.m.

Glow-in-the-Dark Storytime

Join Ms. Carly for this special storytime where we will turn out the lights and use flashlights and glow sticks to read stories and sing songs.
For ages 3 and up.



Tuesday, July 30| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Jump Through the Solar System

Children are invited to jump from planet to planet in our Solar System! A jumping course will be set up along the rail trail behind the library.
There will be a Solar System scavenger hunt inside the library and prizes! **For ages 4 and up.**

Wednesday, July 31| 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Astronauts and Robots and Aliens, Oh My!

Children will make robots, space aliens, astronauts and other galactic crafts in this drop-in craft session.
Led by librarian Elise Katz.
For ages 4 and up.

Tuesday, July 16| 3:30-4:30 p.m.

For Teens

Cool Cooking: Moon Munchies

Teens! Celebrate the 50th anniversary of the moon landing by creating (and eating) your own moon munchies. We will make moon crescent sandwiches with a fruit rocket side and for dessert we will craft the phases of the moon out of Oreo cookies!
For teens in grades 6 and up. Registration Required.

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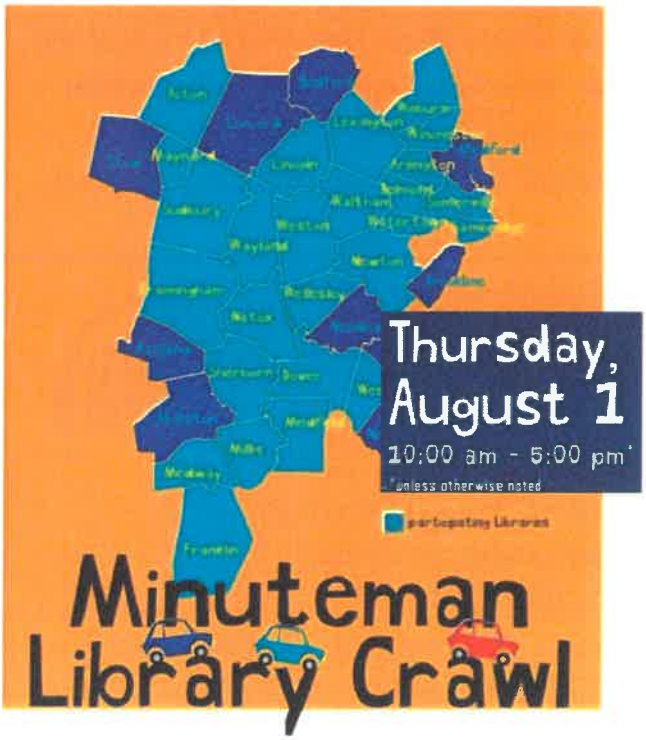
Newsletter August 2019

First public library in Massachusetts | Founded in 1848



It's a 21st-century scavenger hunt! Go to as many libraries as you can during the day, find specific items in each one, take pictures with them, and win prizes. Post your pics and tag the libraries with #mlncrawl2019.

For details, ask a reference librarian, check our online events calendar, or just grab a flyer at any participating Minuteman Library. The game is afoot!

Introduction to Knitting

Learn the basics of knitting in this introductory session. Librarian Sarah Hogan will teach us how to cast on and knit. Participants will leave with a beginner set of knitting needles and a skein of yarn to practice with.

Registration is required, limit 12 people. Recommended for ages 8 and up. Children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult willing to help.

Friday, August 30

1-2:30 p.m.

Whistleblower Wednesdays: the Film Series Continues

The drama, the subterfuge, the moral dilemma.... plus popcorn and lemonade (on us).

August 7: *The Informant* (2009)

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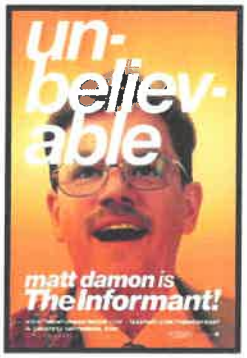

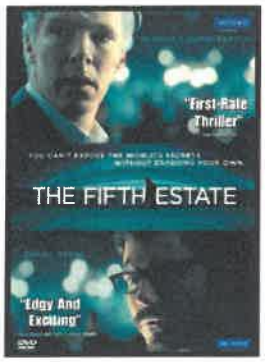

Weekend summer hours: Saturdays, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Closed Sundays.

Beginner's English Conversation Group

Fridays, August 2, 9, 16

10:30-11:30 a.m.

Location:

Cochituate Village Community Room
106 Main Street, Wayland

Monthly ESL Short Readings Group

Read an article or short story in class, discuss the reading, and practice your English skills. No preparation necessary. This group is best for intermediate and advanced English speakers. Know someone who could benefit? Spread the word! Registration is required.

Monday, August 12 10-11:30 a.m.

Book a Librarian

We love to help patrons, but sometimes we need more time than either you or we have at the moment. With the Book-a-Librarian service, one of our reference staff will meet with you for half an hour to personally assist with research questions, technology, downloading ebooks, resume/job search questions, and more. Please call 508-358-2311 ext. 24 to make an appointment.

Delivery for Housebound Patrons

Our staff will arrange for library materials to be delivered to the homes of residents who are unable to get to the library because of infirmity. To request this service, please call the Circulation Department at (508) 358-2311.

There's Still Time: Take the Adult Summer Reading Challenge and Win Prizes!

Who: Any adult with a library card.
What: Earn raffle tickets for reading and for library-related activities. Log your progress online, call, or stop by the Reference Desk to report your activities.
When: Sign up at waylandlibrary.beanstack.com or at the Reference Desk. Earn tickets **now through August 29th.**
Where: The Wayland Library and wherever you read.
Why: Dude—*prizes!* Oh, and, of course, reading is good.

Staff Audiobook Picks

As You Wish / Cary Elwes
Becoming / Michelle Obama
Born a Crime / Trevor Noah
Code Name Verity / Elizabeth Fein (Teen)
David and Goliath / Malcolm Gladwell
Educated / Tara Westover
Eleanor Oliphant is Completely Fine / Gail Honeymoon
Everything Happens for a Reason / Kate Bowler
Finn & Lady / Cathleen Shine
A Gentleman in Moscow / Amor Towles
The Girl with Seven Names / Hyeonseo Lee
The Hate U Give / Angie Thomas
Last Days of Night / Graham Moore
The Lion in the Livingroom / Abigail Tucker
Lovely War / Julie Barry (Teen)
The Moment of Lift / Melinda Gates
The Night Circus / Erin Morgenstern
Paris Architect / Charles Balfour
Refuge / Dina Nayeri
Sadie / Courtney Summers (Young Adult)
Where the Crawdads Sing / Delia Owens

Pardon Our Plywood

Our beautiful big rotunda windows will be under repair this month, the panes removed and the frames refurbished. It might affect parking, and take until after Labor Day to finish. Please bear with us until then. Thank you.

Database of the Month

Covering well over 200,000 fiction and readable nonfiction titles, Novelist Plus is a complete reader's resource. Use it to find new reads based on books you've liked; series books listed in order; and books based on plot or character. It also has lists of award-winning books, book discussion guides, BookTalks, and more. For younger readers, there's Novelist Plus K-8, a wealth of information about their favorites.

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Check out something from our growing Library of Things. How about a:

- Ukulele
- Elgato video capture unit
- Sprint Hotspot
- Dell Chromebook
- Pair of colorblindness sunglasses
- Film to digital converter
- USB turntable to convert vinyl to mp3
- External DVD Drive

Good News! Wayland School Bus Will Stop at the Library in the Fall

This year, a certain number of seats on Bus 3 will be allocated each day for middle and high school students who'd like to stop at the library after school. This option is for students who are registered to ride the bus and have purchased a bus pass.

FOYER EXHIBIT

Color Pencil and Watercolor by Amelia Ao

"I never really had a voice before I found my love for art. Art has become my expression, the way I try to expand on and communicate my emotions and memories, to hopefully help others and piece together something larger. My pieces all use color pencil or watercolor, depicting little instances or snapshots in my life that I found worth sharing."

Noon Book Group Reads On and On

Book clubs can be as ephemeral as the morning dew, but the Library's Noon Group has been convening—with changing membership—for more than 40 years. The focus is on fiction, contemporary and classic. Library Assistant Director Andy Moore picks the titles, with member input, and the library provides the books. A different member volunteers to moderate each month's meeting. Last year's titles included *A Farewell to Arms, White Houses, Manhattan Beach,* and *The Underground Railroad*. The group meets September through June and requires no signup or commitment. The conversation is lively, the refreshments tasty. Drop in to the next meeting (see p. 4); you might keep coming for 40 years.

Wednesday, September 4 10 a.m.

Needlework/Handwork Group

Thursday, September 5 and 19 2 p.m.

Poetry Group

Saturday, September 7 1- 3 p.m.

Pre-NanoWrimo Write-in

Friday, September 13 12 p.m.

Noon Book Group discusses *A House for Mr. Biswas* by V. S. Naipaul

Monday, September 16 7 p.m.

Author Talk: *Massachusetts in the Woman Suffrage Movement* with Barbara Berenson

Thursday, September 19 7:30 p.m.

Author Talk: *The Beantown Girls* with Jane Healey

Friday, September 20 9:15-11:30 a.m.

Great Decisions: A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

Monday, September 23 6-9 p.m.

ESOL Tutor Training Class begins

Wednesday, September 25 7:30 p.m.

Author Talk: *The Karl Muck Scandal* with Melissa Burrage

Friday, September 27 10 a.m.

TED Talk and Walk

Saturday, September 28 12 p.m.

Korean Culture Celebration: Film and Food

Seeking Volunteers to Lead a Youth Chess Club in the Fall

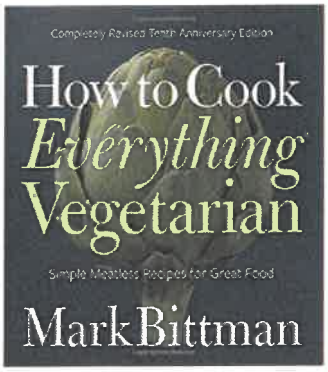
The club would meet once a month after school. If interested, please contact Youth Services librarian Pam McCuen at pmccuen@minlib.net.

Cookbook Club

How to Cook Everything Vegetarian by Mark Bittman

Thursday, August 8
6 p.m.

Copies are available at the library. Make a recipe and bring it to share!



One-On-One Genealogy Help

Just getting started and don't know where to begin? Having trouble organizing and confirming your genealogy finds? Out on a limb on your family tree? Get personal help from experienced genealogists. Sign up by Sunday for a 15-minute session the following Thursday, then meet your genealogist at the Reference Desk.

Every Thursday through August, 1-2 p.m. by appointment

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August, 2019 Youth Events & News

Ongoing Programs

Tuesday August 6, 13, 20 | 10:30 a.m.

Mother Goose Time

A storytime for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.

Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thursday August 1, 8, 15 | 10:30 a.m.

Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.

Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tuesday August 27 | 10:30 a.m.

Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.

Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

More Summer Fun!

Wednesday, August 7, 3:00-4:30 p.m.

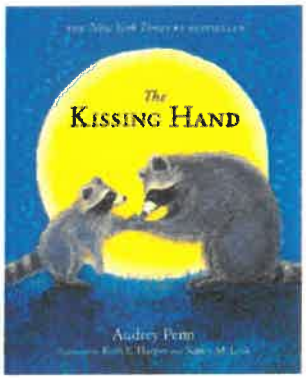
Star Wars Day

Calling all Jedi! Drop in for Star Wars inspired crafts, snacks, and activities.

For ages 5 and up.

Tuesday, August 6, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Going into K Story Walk



Children going into K and their grownups are invited to this story walk led by Beverly Mobilia of Community Partnerships for Children and Families. Weather permitting, we will meet on the lawn behind the library.

For incoming Kindergarteners with caregiver.

Thursday, August 15, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Ice Cream Social

All participants in our Summer Reading Program are invited to an Ice Cream Social! Children will make their own ice cream Sundae (as long as supplies last). If weather permits we will meet outside on the grass behind the library.

For ages preschool and up.

More Youth Events

Wednesday, August 7| 11:00-11:30 a.m.

Storytime at the Town Beach

Join one of our children's librarians for a story time at the Town Beach.
For ages 2 and up.

Wednesday, August 14| 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Wednesday, August 14| 3:00-4:30 p.m.

Solar Prints

Children will learn about botanist and photographer Anna Atkins and will make their own solar prints. Led by librarian Elise Katz.
For ages 8 and up.

Wednesday, August 21| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Drop-in Legos

Build some Lego creations and catch up with friends before school starts!
For ages 5 and up.

For Teens

Monday, August 5| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Comic Book Workshop with Rachel Maguire

Artist and educator Rachel Maguire will teach teens how to draw their own comics. Registration required.
For teens in grades 6 and up.

Tuesday, August 13| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Teen Pizza Night

All Participants in our Teen Summer Reading Program are invited to a pizza party. We will also draw the raffle for a free Kindle Fire.
For teens in grades 6 and up.

Thursday, August 22| 6:30-8:30 p.m.

Teen Movie Night: *Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse*

Teens! Come to the library and watch *Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse* with your friends! Snacks will be served. Rating PG. Running time 117 minutes.
For teens in grades 6 and up.

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Ukulele Club

with Mark and Zoe Hughes

The Wayland Ukulele Club is for any adult (ages 16+) who wants to have fun with music. All skill levels are welcome.

Starting off with easy chords and tunes, we'll learn and play songs from across the musical spectrum, from oldies to modern pop.

Tuesdays, September 17 - October 22 (except October 1) 7:30-8:30 p.m.

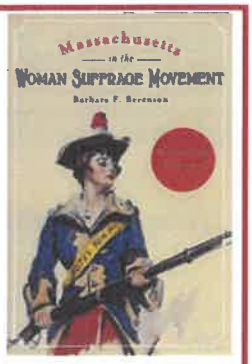
Registration required. *Limit 20 students.*
BYOU. *Wayland Library has four ukuleles available to borrow for 3 weeks at a time, but we can't guarantee their availability. If ours are checked out, other local libraries lending ukuleles include Framingham, Weston, and Wellesley.*

New Teen Loft Now Open

We're celebrating our awesome new space for teens with an Open House! Please join us for refreshments in the Loft. The Friends of the Wayland Public Library and the Library thank Middlesex Savings Bank for their generous donation of $15,000, which helped make the Teen Loft possible.

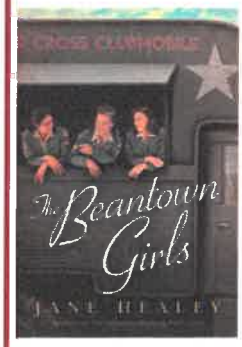
Thursday, September 26 7 p.m.

Author Talks



Monday, September 16 7 p.m.
Massachusetts in the Woman Suffrage Movement

Barbara Berenson gives this state's suffragists the attention they deserve.

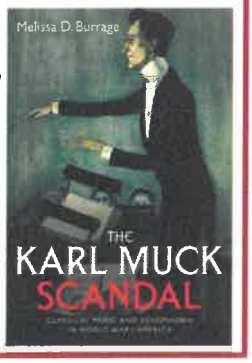


Thursday, September 19 7:30 p.m.
The Beantown Girls

Jane Healey reads from and discusses her novel about three friends from Boston who join the Red Cross in 1944.

Wednesday, September 25 7:30 p.m.
The Karl Muck Scandal

Melissa Burrage tells the story of how BSO conductor Muck fell victim to anti-German prejudice during the First World War.



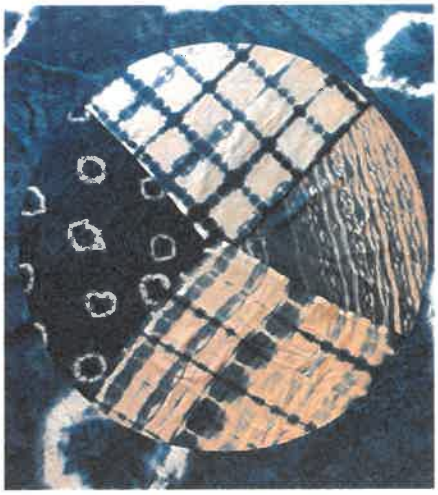
Great Decisions

A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

Topic:
The U.S. and Mexico—Partnership Tested

Friday, September 20 9:15-11:30 a.m.

The Library will be closed August 31 to September 2 for Labor Day Weekend.
Full weekend hours resume: Saturdays, 10 a.m.- 5 p.m. Sundays, 2-5 p.m.



Shibori Workshop: Japanese Shape Resist Tie-Dye

Learn the art of Shibori —a Japanese shape resist dye technique—using traditional indigo dye. We'll bind our fabric to make a resistance pattern using wood blocks, rubber bands, and popsicle sticks. Then we'll dip dye our projects. This workshop will take place half indoors and half outdoors, rain or shine.

Limit 10 participants. Ages 16 and up. Wear old clothes as the dye can stain. All materials provided, including a white cotton flour sack towel to dye. If you have a small fabric item like a t-shirt or pillowcase that you would like bring from home, that's okay, too. It should be white and made of natural fibers—cotton, linen, hemp. Contact Courtney at cmichael@minlib.net or call with any questions.

Friday, September 20 12-2 p.m.

Book Groups Find the one that's right for you

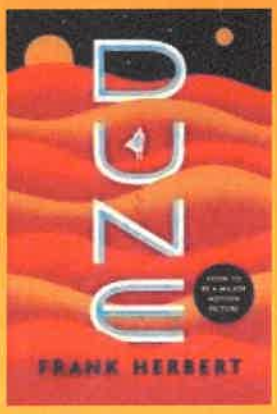
Groups meet monthly and are open to all. No signup is required; books are available at the library.

Science Fiction/Dystopian

Dune by Frank Herbert

Wednesday, September 11
7 p.m.

Meeting in the Mezzanine



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How to Cook Everything Vegetarian
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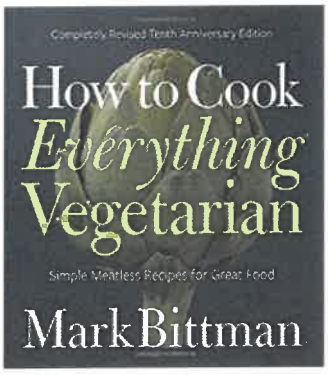
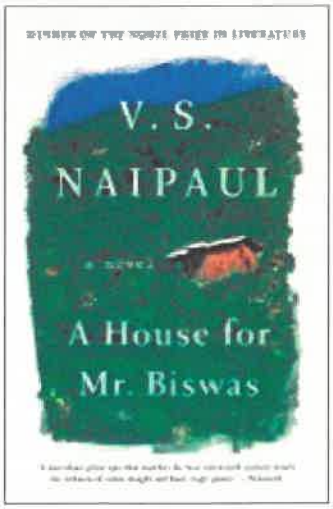




Noon

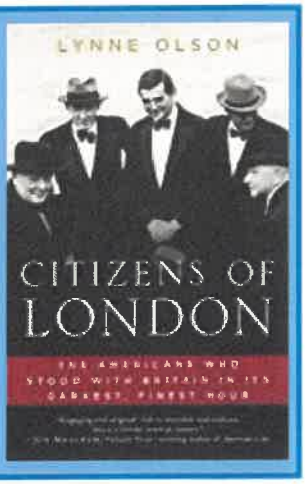
Friday, September 13

A House for Mr. Biswas
by V. S. Naipaul

Evening

Citizens of London: The Americans Who Stood with Britain in Its Darkest, Finest Hour
by Lynne Olson

Monday, October 7 7 p.m.



ESOL Tutor Training

Have you ever thought about volunteering to tutor someone in English? Program Director Ginny Steel is currently enrolling prospective tutors for **five Monday evenings.** The only cost is about $20 for a textbook. For more information or to enroll, call Ginny at 508-358-7517 or email her at virginia@thesteels.com.

Monday, September 23 and 30, October 7, 21 and 28 6-9 p.m.

Pre-NaNoWriMo Write-In

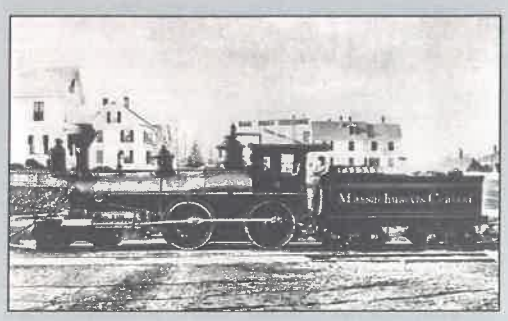
Get a jump start on your novel! In anticipation of November's National Novel Writing Month activities, we're hosting a Write-In at the Library.

It's a gathering of writers who work on their novels as a group. There will be quiet time to write, time to "sprint" -- to write as many words as possible in a short period of time -- and opportunities to hang with fellow writers. Bring your laptop or notebook. We'll provide the space, wi-fi, coffee and tea.

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Rails to Trails in Wayland



Photos and information from the Wayland and Weston Historical Societies, Rick Conard, Joel Angiolillo, and Larry Keirnan hint at the massive changes wrought by railroads – the Internet of the 1800s. Trains thundered through Wayland for almost a century until the end of service in 1980. Today, walkers or riders on the newly paved Mass Central-Wayside Rail Trail can pick up a handy guide at the Depot to learn how the freight house, turntable, and water tanks functioned to support these behemoths as they bisected the town.

Foyer

Vintage Wayland Photographs

Selections from a set assembled for the nation's bicentennial in 1976, from the collection of the Wayland Museum & Historical Society.

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesday, September 4 and October 2 10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursday, September 5 and 19

English Conversation Group For Beginners

Fridays, October 4 and 18

10:30-11:30 a.m.

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Monday, September 9 and 23 10-11 a.m.

TED WALKS
A Discussion & (Optional) Walking Group

Topic: *Sleep is Your Superpower*

with Prof. Matthew Walker

One Friday a month, we watch a 20-minute TED talk, discuss it for 20 minutes indoors, then—weather permitting—take a 30-minute walk to continue the discussion.

Friday, September 27 10-11:15 a.m.

Korean Culture Celebration: Film and Food

Join members of the Korean Spirit & Culture Promotion Project for a survey of Korean history and culture. Through two short films and a presentation, attendees will learn about classical and modern South Korea, the sixth-largest export country in the world. After the presentation, a traditional Korean meal will be served in Bangjja bronzeware, an ancient form of Korean tableware. **Advance registration is required.**

Saturday, September 28 12-3 p.m.

Listen to Books On the Go With Libby, Hoopla, and Playaways

Audiobooks are on the rise! Downloaded audiobooks and Playaways can go wherever you go—on a walk, in the yard, at the gym—so you can keep on listening, whatever you're doing.

Libby by Overdrive: Big selection, reserve like a book.

Hoopla: Immediate download on all titles

Playaway: A small, portable device that you check out from the library. Batteries not supplied.

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Ages babies to 2.5 years.

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Storyvine

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Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tues. Sept. 24| 10:30 a.m.

Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.

Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

Wednesday, September 18| 2:00-3:00 p.m.

Rainforest Reptiles

Lizards, snakes, alligators and more! A herpetologist from Rainforest Reptiles will bring live reptiles to the library and teach children about these fascinating creatures and their natural habitats. This is an Early Release Day special event!

For children ages 4 and up.

Monday, September 30 | 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Pop-Up Playtime

Drop in for a morning of pretend play, early literacy activities, and sensory fun for little ones and their caregivers.

For children ages 0 to 3, with caregiver.

Thursday, September 19| 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Teen Open House

Teens! You are invited to an Open House to celebrate the opening of the Teen Loft on the library's mezzanine. There will be pizza, snacks, and a Teen Jeopardy contest, with prizes.

For teens in grades 6 and up.

Library Bus Stop!

This year, a certain number of seats on Bus 3 will be allocated each day for middle and high school students who'd like to stop at the library after school. This option is for students who are registered to ride the bus and have purchased a bus pass.

More Youth Events

Wednesday, September 4| 3:00-4:00 p.m.
Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: wacky buildings!
For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, September 11| 11:30–12:15 p.m.
Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Thursday September 12| 1:30-2:15 p.m.
Kids Yoga

Sonia Gomez from Serfi Yoga will give a yoga class for children, toddlers to age 5.
For toddlers to age 5.

Saturday, September 14| 3:30-4:30 p.m.
WCPA Story and Service Event

The WCPA and the Wayland Library are partnering with One Mission to collect donations and package gifts for children fighting cancer! Please join us for a kid-friendly story time and hands-on service project.
For families.

Monday, September 16| 10:30 a.m.
Music & Movement

Ms. Carly will lead kids and caregivers in upbeat songs, dances, and stretches.
For walkers to age 5.

Wednesday, September 18| 11:30-12:15 p.m.
Brain Building Storytime

Storytime, parachute play, and Brain Building activity. Program led by Beverly Mobilia of Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For children ages 2 to 5, with caregiver.

Thursday, September 19| 10:30 a.m.
Storytime with Corbyn

Children will listen to dog stories and have a special canine visitor! Corbyn, a beautiful Samoyed, and his owner Helen will join us.
For ages 3 and up.

Wednesday, September 25| 3:00-4:30 p.m.
Drop-in Craft: Kindness Rocks

Children are invited to decorate their own kindness rocks. This project is inspired by Linda Kranz's book *Only One You.*
For children ages 5 and up.

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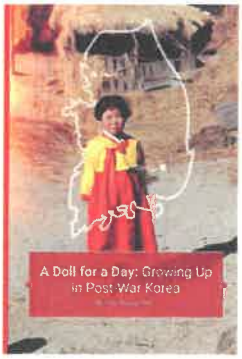
Authors at the Library

Everything Here is Beautiful

Mira T. Lee's debut novel "is a tender but unflinching portrayal of the bond between two sisters" (Celeste Ng) that explores how much we're willing to sacrifice for the ones we love, and when it's time to let go and save ourselves. Lee's stories and essays have appeared in the *New York Times, Tin House, Real Simple, and The Southern Review,* and other publications.

Wednesday, October 16 7:30 p.m.

A Doll for a Day: Growing Up in Post-War Korea

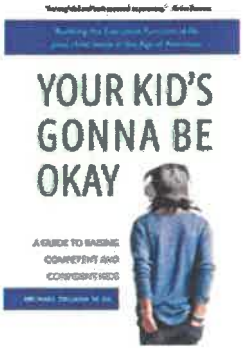


Choi Kyung-Shin vividly recalls the first student anti-government demonstration in Taegu and the military revolution of the May 16 coup d'etat. What were this young Korean girl's dreams? How did she learn to speak up? How did she support herself and stay in school? Choi Kyung-Shin is an author and Fulbright Scholar who has been a teacher, educator, and writer.

Wednesday, October 2 7:30 p.m.

Your Kid's Gonna Be Okay: Building the Executive Function Skills Your Child Needs in the Age of Attention

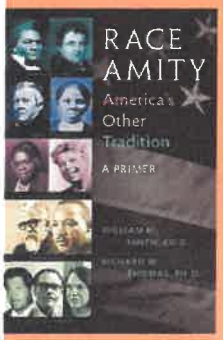
Michael Delman, CEO of Beyond BookSmart, shares insights with parents from his book that guides you in how to build executive function in your kids so they'll grow up confident and competent.



Thursday, October 10 7:30 p.m.

Race Amity: America's Other Tradition

William H. Smith's book seeks to affect the public discourse on race, moving it from the "blame/grievance/rejection" cycle to one of "amity/collaboration/access and equity." While most discussions focus exclusively on racist traditions, Smith looks at the always-present moral counterweight of close, loving friendship and collaboration: "the other tradition." William H. Smith is an award-winning documentary producer and writer.



Sunday, October 20 2:30 p.m.

The Library will be closed on Monday, October 14 for Columbus Day.

Ongoing Programs

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Thursday, October 3 and 17

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Mondays, October 7 and 21 10-11 a.m.

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A Discussion & (Optional) Walking Group

Topic: *Everything You Know About Addiction is Wrong* with Johann Hari

One Friday a month, we watch a 20-minute TED talk, discuss it for 20 minutes indoors, then—weather permitting—take a 30-minute walk to continue the discussion.

Friday, October 25 10-11:30 a.m.

Kicking off The Great Presenters 2019-2020 Season!

Adventures with NOVA

with Evan Hadingham

As NOVA's Science Editor for over two decades, Wayland resident Evan Hadingham oversees editorial accuracy, evaluates ideas for new programs, and works on the storytelling of each episode. In this talk, Evan will highlight some of NOVA's shows and discuss the challenge of communicating science to the public in a fast-changing media landscape. He'll also touch on the personal history that led him to his job at NOVA.

Tuesday, October 1 7:30 p.m.

King Lear: Should We Translate Shakespeare into Modern English?

Using examples from *King Lear*, Joel Angiolillo will trace some of the language changes that have occurred since 1605. Learn how the language has evolved and enhance your appreciation and understanding of King Lear. *Lear* is being performed by the Actors Shakespeare Company October 3-27th.

Wednesday, October 23 7:30 p.m.

Mansion Inn: The Making of a Scholar

with Tonya Largy

Learn about Mansion Inn, a Native American archaeological site in Wayland, and Dena Dincauze, the remarkable woman who documented it. Tonya Largy is an archaeological consultant.

Sponsored by the Wayland Historical Commission.

Sunday, October 27 2:30 p.m.

Pumpkin Decorating Contest!

Sign up to participate in our first ever pumpkin decorating contest! Space is limited so sign up to reserve your pumpkin soon! Compete in a kids or adult age group for two titles: **Best Decorated** and **Best Carved**

Important Dates:

- ***Weds-Sat, 10/23-10/26 pick up your pumpkin***
  - ages 3-11 : pick up in the Children's Room
  - ages 12-adult : pick up at the Reference Desk
- ***Sat-Sun, 10/26-10/27 return your decorated or carved pumpkin to the library***
- ***Mon-Weds, 10/28-10/30 vote for your favorites at the library or on our Facebook page!***

One-On-One Genealogy Help

Get personalized help from experienced genealogists. Sign up by Sunday for a 15-minute session the following Thursday, then meet your genealogist at the Reference Desk.

Every Thursday in October
1-2 p.m.

Great Decisions

A Foreign Policy Discussion Group

Topic: State of the State Department and American Diplomacy

Friday, October 18 9:15-11:30 a.m.

3D Design Workshop - Sliding Box

In this 3D design workshop, participants will design their own working sliding box. Using Tinkercad.com, participants will assign specific dimensions to create a functional object. Some experience with Tinkercad is recommended, but not required. Objects will be printed after the workshop, and will be free. Parents of very young children (6-7) are encouraged to stay and design with their children. Space is limited so sign up online, in person, or over the phone.

Thursday, October 17 5-6 p.m.

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

A Change in Nature

Watercolors by Molly Beard

Foyer

Photography by Rolf Laren

Rolf quit his full-time job as a structural engineer in 2017 to devote more time to photography. His work includes landscapes, travel photography, and portraiture.

New Traditions for Thanksgiving: Side Dishes & Turkey Talk

with Liz Barbour

For many of us, preparing Thanksgiving dinner can be pure anxiety. Join chef Liz Barbour as she explores the many types of turkeys available, the various ways to prepare them, and how to create a menu that is easy and delicious. Following her discussion, Liz will demonstrate two of her favorite side dishes and offer samples for everyone.

Registration required. Limit 35

Tuesday, October 29 7 p.m.

Introduction to the iPhone

You know how to make a phone call and send a text, but are mystified by all the bells and whistles of your iPhone. Learn the difference between SIRI and voice dictation, how to search for and download an app, ways to send yourself reminders, and other basics of your device.

Monday, October 21 2 p.m.

Hiking The Bay Circuit Trail: A Video Journal

Dan & Marilyn Brielmann, along with Alan French, will guide you along the Bay Circuit Trail, a 200-mile natural wonder that arcs around Boston from Newburyport to Kingston. Dan incorporates his video and musical talents in a documentary style on the environmental issues of our day.

Alan French was the founder of the Bay Circuit Alliance.

Wednesday, October 30 7 p.m.

Book groups

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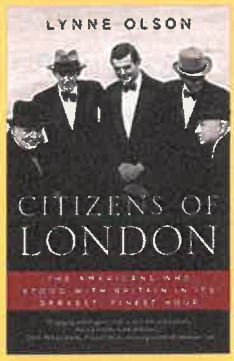
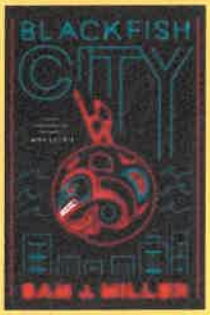


Citizens of London
by Lynne Olson

Monday, October 7 7 p.m.



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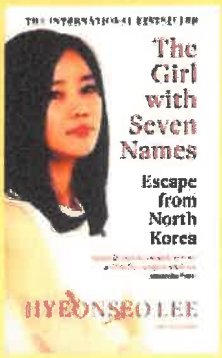
Blackfish City by Sam Miller

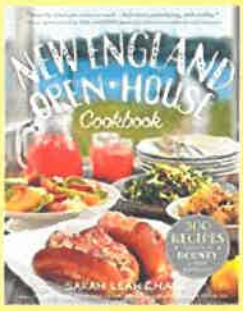
Wednesday, October 9 7 p.m.

NON-FICTION



The Girl with Seven Names
by Hyeonseo Lee

Wednesday, October 9 1 p.m.



COOKBOOK CLUB

New England Open-House Cookbook
by Sarah Chase and Ina Garten

Thursday, October 10 6 p.m.

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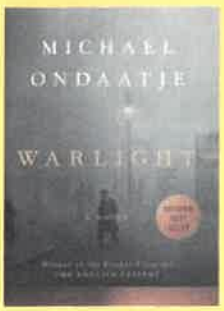

Warlight by Michael Ondaatje

Friday, October 11

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Ongoing Programs

Thurs. Oct. 3| 10:30 a.m.
Jeannie Mack

Jeannie Mack will perform all kinds of fun, bounce-around, sing-along songs geared for young children. Plenty of opportunity for audience participation!
Ages babies to 4 years.

Tues. Oct. 1, 8, 15 & 22|10:30 a.m.
Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.
Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. Oct. 10| 10:30 a.m.
Storytime with Corbyn

Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Corbyn, a beautiful Samoyed.
For ages 3 and up.

Thurs. Oct. 17 & 31| 10:30 a.m.
Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.
Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tues. Oct. 29| 10:30 a.m.
Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.
Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

Wednesday, October 23, 3:00-4:30 p.m.
Monster Mash Bash!

Drop in for a monstrously fun afternoon of horrible crafts, ghoulish games, and eye-popping activities. There will be a scavenger hunt with prizes! Costumes welcome!
For ages 5 and up.

Saturday, October 19, 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Spooktacular Storytime & Crafts

Join Ms. Carly at this Saturday story time for semi-spooky stories and not-so-scary songs and rhymes. Crafts to follow!
For babies to 5 years.

Wednesday, October 30, 3:00-4:30 p.m.
Diwali

Learn about Diwali and create your own henna and rangoli designs on paper. Wayland parent Manisha Kotadia will also paint a henna design on your hand if you want!
For ages 5 and up.

More Youth Events

Wednesday, October 2| 11:30-12:00 p.m.
Infant Lapsit and Tummy Time

Join Beverly Mobilia for songs, lap bounces, tummy time, core-strengthening activities, and early communication.
For ages newborn to 1 year, or pre-walkers, with caregiver.

Wednesday, October 2| 3:00-4:00 p.m.
Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Haunted houses!
For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, October 9| 3:00-5:00 p.m.
Family Movie Afternoon

Children are invited to watch the movie *Toy Story 4* at the library! Popcorn will be served.
For children ages 4 and up.

Thursday, October 10| 1:30-2:15 p.m.
Kids Yoga

Sonia Gomez from Serfi Yoga will give a yoga class for children.
For toddlers to age 5.

Wednesday, October 16| 11:00–11:30 a.m.
Caregiver and Me Coffee

Children and their caregivers are welcome at this get together to snack and chat. Hosted by Pam McCuen, Head of Youth Services, and Beverly Mobilia of Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
Inclusive Playgroup to follow at 11:30a.m.

Wednesday, October 16| 11:30–12:15 p.m.
Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

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For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Wednesday, October 16| 3:30-5:00 p.m.
Drop-in Fall Craft

Color, glue, wrap, and display! Kids will make spectacular fall crafts. Program led by librarian Elise Katz.
For ages 4 and up.

Wednesday October 23| 7:00-8:00 p.m.
Parent/Child Book Group

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders with a parent. October's book is *Saving Winslow* by Sharon Creech.
For 4th and 5th graders with a parent.

Monday, October 28 |10:30-11:30 a.m.
Pop-Up Playtime

Drop in for a morning of pretend play, early literacy activities, and sensory fun for little ones and their caregivers.
For children ages 0 to 3, with caregiver.

Pumpkin Decorating Contest

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The Great Presenters

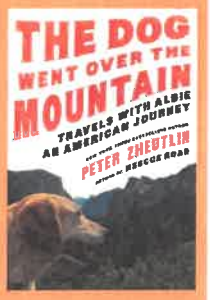
Ian Condry: Hearing the Future in Music

Could current musical experiments point to possibilities for post-capitalist futures? Cultural anthropologist and MIT professor Condry will explore examples from Tokyo, Boston, and Berlin, including pop idols, virtual singers, underground techno, crowd-funding pioneers, and spatial audio sound art. What might seem like a flatland of economic commodification of music is in fact a fluid, shifting landscape that points to a fundamental curvature of socioeconomic spacetime.

Tuesday, November 5 7:30 p.m.

Author Talk with Peter Zheutlin

The Dog Went Over the Mountain



On the cusp of turning sixty-five and inspired by John Steinbeck, bestselling author Zheutlin took a poignant, often bemusing, and keenly observed journey across America with his beloved rescue dog, Albie. He discovered a big-hearted, welcoming country filled with memorable characters and came away with a determination to live more fully in the moment.

Wednesday, November 6 7:30 p.m.

Friends Fall Book and Bake Sale

Start your holiday shopping and support library programs and services at the same time!

Contact Jan Dunn (508-655-9149) if interested in contributing baked goods. For further sale information, contact Carole Schneider (508-358-1012 or css11@comcast.net).

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Large Hearing Room, Wayland Town Building
Saturday, November 16 10 a.m.–4 p.m.
Sunday, November 17 noon–4 p.m.
Members Preview: Friday November 15 5–8 p.m.
Memberships will be available to purchase starting Friday 4:30 p.m.

Author Talk with Jonathan Hansen

Young Castro: The Making of a Revolutionary

The first American historian in a generation allowed into the Fidel Castro archives in Havana, Jonathan Hansen was able to secure cooperation from Castro's family and closest confidants. The result is a nuanced and penetrating portrait of a man—brilliant, arrogant, bold, vulnerable, and all too human—who was determined to be a leader.

Thursday, November 7 7:30 p.m.

The Library will be closed on Monday, November 11 for Veteran's Day.

We will close at 6 p.m. on November 27 and will be closed on November 28 and 29 for Thanksgiving

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesday, November 6 and December 4
10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursday, November 7 and 21 2 p.m.

The Annual Poetry Instructional Day for the Wayland Poetry Workshop

Professor Brad Clompus will give ideas on how to write a poem. Open to beginners and advanced alike. Bring paper and pencil.

Saturday, November 16 2-4 pm.

English Conversation Group For Beginners

Friday, November 15 and 22

10:30-11:30 a.m.

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Monday, November 4 and 25 10-11 a.m.

Backyard Astronomy with the New Library Telescope

Thanks to a generous, anonymous donor, we have a beautiful telescope ready to lend for scanning the skies. A member of the Aldrich Astronomical Society, which maintains the telescope, will show how to use it with a technique called star-hopping. Spacy door prizes for kids, and outside viewing for all, weather permitting. To infinity, and beyond!

Tuesday, November 12 7 p.m.

The Cocoanut Grove Fire with Bob Begin

On November 28, 1942, the Cocoanut Grove—one of Boston's most popular nightclubs—was packed beyond capacity when fire broke out, spreading panic throughout the entire gathering. Nearly 500 people died and hundreds more were injured in what became the worst nightclub fire in U.S. history. What caused it? Who were the victims? And what was its legacy? Avid amateur historian Bob Begin explores these questions and more.

Wednesday, November 13 7:30 p.m.

Topic: *Europe Talks*

Editor Jochen Wegner talks about what happened when 17,000 Europeans from 33 countries signed up to meet a complete stranger for a political discussion.

Friday, November 15
10-11:15 a.m. starting in the Raytheon Room

Knitting 102: Purl Stitch

Participants should know how to cast on and basic knit stitch. We will learn purl stitch and the patterns you can create with knit and purl, as well as binding off aka how to finish your project. The library will provide a beginner set of knitting needles and a skein of yarn to practice with. Or feel free to bring your own. Registration is required, limit 12 people. Recommended for ages 8 and up. Children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult willing to help.

Wednesday, November 20 2 p.m.

Ukulele Club Holiday Edition

The Wayland Ukulele Club is for any adult (ages 16+) who wants to have fun with music. All skill levels are welcome. We'll learn non-denominational holiday tunes and perform them around town at venues to be determined. BYOU and music stand. The Library has four ukes available to borrow for three weeks at a time, but can't guarantee availability. Other local libraries lending ukuleles include Framingham, Weston and Wellesley.

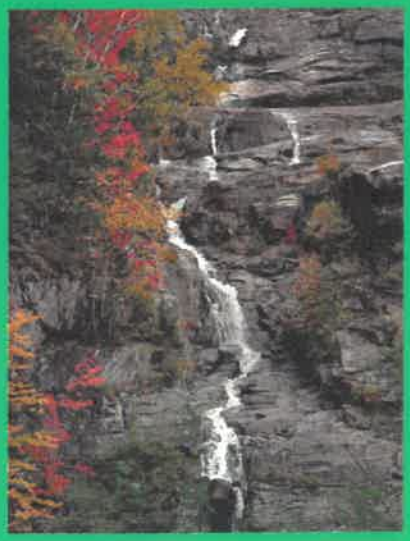
Rehearsals: **Tuesday, November 19 and 26, and Wednesday, December 4 7:30**

Exhibits

Raytheon Room

Nature Leads Us In

Photography by 15 artists from the Sudbury Valley Nature Photographers



Artists Reception Sunday, November 3 2:30-4:30 p.m.

Foyer

Paintings by Chaitrali Yadav

Book groups

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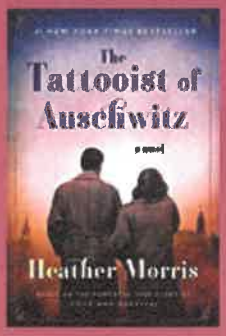
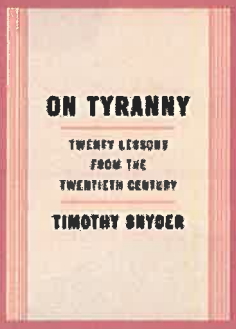
The Tattoist of Auschwitz
by Heather Morris

Monday, November 4 7 p.m.





NON-FICTION

On Tyranny by Timothy Snyder

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Riddley Walker by Russell Hoban

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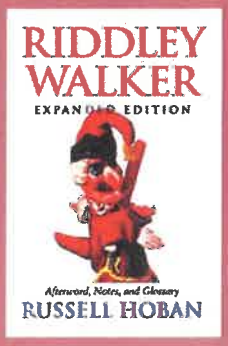

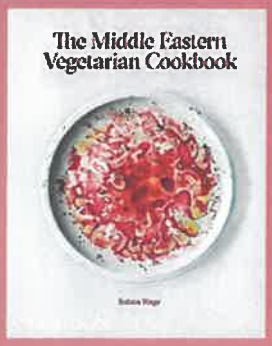

COOKBOOK CLUB

The Middle Eastern Vegetarian Cookbook by Salma Hage

Thursday, November 14 6 p.m.

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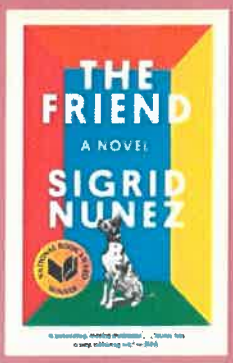
The Friend by Sigrid Nunez

Friday, November 8



Intro to Hoopla, Kanopy, and Libby

Heard about streaming and downloading books, audiobooks and movies from the library? Find out how to download these free library apps and explore their extensive collections from the comfort of your own home—or wherever you happen to be.

Monday, November 18 2 p.m.

hoopla kanopy

Author Talk with Judith Pratt

Siljeea Magic

Theater professor, director, critic, and now author Pratt reads from her Young Adult novel about a teenage girl on a quest to save a race of faery people from the forces of development.

Friday, November 22 4 p.m.

Wanted: Art for Our Exhibition Spaces in December and January

Do you have work you'd like to show? Or know someone who does? Our foyer can accommodate a small number of pieces and the Raytheon Room has ample display space. For information or an application, contact Elizabeth Bradley at the Library.

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Kathy Defina: The Magic of Silk Painting

Longtime silk artist Kathy Defina speaks on the rich history of silk painting and its growth in the wearable art industry.

Tuesday, December 3 7:30 p.m.

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Ongoing Programs

Thurs. Nov. 7| 10:30 a.m.
Jeannie Mack

Jeannie Mack will perform all kinds of fun, bounce-around, sing-along songs geared for young children. Plenty of opportunity for audience participation!
Ages babies to 4 years.

Tues. Nov. 5, 12, & 19|10:30 a.m.
Mother Goose Time

A story time for babies and toddlers filled with songs, rhymes, stories, and movement.
Ages babies to 2.5 years.

Thurs. Nov. 21| 10:30 a.m.
Storyvine

Storyvine introduces preschoolers to books and reading with engaging stories, songs, and activities.
Ages 2.5 to 5 years.

Tues. Nov. 26| 10:30 a.m.
Zumba

Rhythm and dance program led by Hayley Chizinsky of H2K Happy Healthy Kids Fitness Studio.
Ages 2.5 to 4 years.

Wednesday, November 20 | 2:00-3:00 p.m.
Family Ukulele Program

Early Release Day Special!
Come to the library and make some music! Join music educator Julie Stepanek as she shows the fundamentals of ukulele playing. Learn how to tune, strum, and read chords. After a short lesson, you'll be able to play songs.
No experience necessary. Bring your own ukulele or borrow one of Julie's.
For children ages 5 and up, with caregiver.
Register only if you need to borrow a ukulele.

Wednesday, November 13 |3:30-5:00 p.m.
STEAM Team: Mystery Bag Challenge

Children will complete fun design challenges using only the materials provided in a mystery bag.
For grades 1 to 3, with caregiver.

Saturday, November 23| 10:30-11:30 p.m.
Family Storytime & Crafts

Join Ms. Laura for stories, songs, and rhymes! After story time we will make crafts.
For babies to age 5 with caregiver.

Wednesday, November 27| 3:00-4:30 p.m.
Drop in Thanksgiving Crafts

Get crafty and make decorations for the Thanksgiving table!
For ages 4 and up.

More Youth Events

Wednesday, November 6 & 20| 11:30-12:00 p.m.

Prewalkers Lapsit

Together we will learn fun and interactive ways to promote early brain development. Our group includes soft songs and lap bounces, which encourage early communication. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Community Partnerships for Children and Families. **For ages newborn to 1 year, or pre-walkers, with caregiver.**

Wednesday, November 6| 3:00-4:00 p.m.

Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Space stations!
For children ages 5 and up.

Wednesday, November 13| 11:30–12:15 p.m.

Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Wayland Community Partnerships for Children and Families.
For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.

Thursday, November 14| 10:30-11:00 a.m.

Corbyn

Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Corbyn, a beautiful Samoyed. Drop-in!
For ages 3 and up.

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Kids Yoga

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For toddlers to age 5.

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Pop-Up Playtime

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For children ages 0 to 3, with caregiver.

Tuesday, November 19| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Parent/Child Book Group

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For 4th and 5th graders with a parent.

For Teens

Tuesday, November 12| 3:30-5:00 p.m.

Crafternoon

Drop in to the Teen Loft and craft with us! We provide the materials and ideas, you bring the creativity. **For grades 6-12.**

Monday, November 18| 3:30-4:30 p.m.

TAB Meeting: Make a Bagel Face

Teens! Come to our first Teen Advisory Board meeting of the year! Make a face from bagels, cream cheese, hummus, and veggies. While you are munching let us know what kind of programs you would like at the Wayland Public Library. We want to hear from YOU! We will meet in the Teen Loft.
(Gluten free options available)

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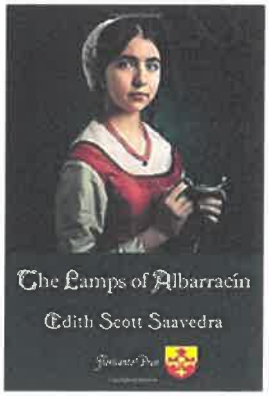
Author Talk

The Lamps of Albarracín

with Edith Scott Saavedra

In this compelling debut novel, a Sephardic girl's account of the arrival of the Spanish Inquisition into the Kingdom of Aragon brings to life the historical figure of Brianda de Besante, an unsung heroine of resistance to the Inquisition. It also vividly portrays the multicultural Spain of the early Renaissance. Once a student of Spanish literature at Harvard, Saavedra has since had a distinguished career as an international lawyer, business consultant, and now author.



Wednesday, December 11 7:30 p.m.

Family Holiday Singalong

with David Polansky

As a part of the Wayland Center Holiday Open House, local musician David Polansky will lead a singalong for all ages upstairs in the Library rotunda. In addition to vocals, Polansky plays the keyboard and the trumpet. Come sing your favorite holiday songs and learn some new ones. Refreshments will be served. This event is sponsored by the Friends of the Wayland Public Library.

Sunday, December 8 3-3:45 p.m.

Wayland Ukulele Club Holiday Performance

Enjoy the supple and scintillating string sounds of the WUC in the Library rotunda. Complimentary coffee and tea will be available.

Sunday, December 15 3-3:30 p.m.

The Library will close at noon on December 24 and will be closed on December 25 for Christmas. We will close at 3 p.m. on December 31 and will be closed on January 1 for New Year's Day.

Holiday Wrapping Party

Stop by the library for a festive gift wrap party. Enjoy coffee and tea, treats, holiday music and *company!* Bring your gifts to wrap. We'll provide the paper, ribbon, scissors and tape! We'll also gratefully accept donations of wrapping paper and ribbon.

Thursday, December 19 11:30 - 1:30 pm

End-of-Year Giving

Thank you to all who continue to support the **Wayland Public Library Millennium Fund**. To make an end-of-year gift to the fund, you can write a check, or simply go to "About Us" on our home page and click on "Millennium Fund." Along with the Donate button, you'll find information about the fund.

Library Mugs and Book Bags

The Friends of the Library are offering handsome Wayland Library mugs as a fundraiser. Each mug is hand thrown and features a wonderful cast image of our historic library building. They're for sale at the circulation desk for $15. Sturdy canvas book bags with zipper and pocket are also available for $15.

Topic:

The Power of Introverts

TED WALKS
A Discussion & (Optional) Walking Group

Author Susan Cain argues that introverts bring extraordinary talents and abilities to the world, and should be encouraged and celebrated.

Friday, December 13
10-11:30 a.m. starting in the Raytheon Room

Ongoing Programs

Needlework/Handwork Group

Wednesdays, December 4 and January 8
10 a.m.

Poetry Workshop

Thursdays, December 5 and January 2
2 p.m.

English Conversation Group For Beginners

Fridays, December 13 and 20
10:30-11:30 a.m.

Location:
Cochituate Village
Community Room
106 Main Street, Wayland

Monthly ESL Short Readings Group

Read a short story or article in class, discuss the reading, and practice your English skills. No preparation needed! This group is best for intermediate and advanced English speakers. Know someone who could benefit? Spread the word! Registration is required. Sign up online or email mwright@minlib.net.

Mondays, December 9, January 13 and 27
10-11 a.m.

New Tutors in Library ESOL Program

Immigrants in our area who want to improve their fluency in English now have greater opportunities. Ten generous and enthusiastic people have recently completed a training course and are now certified to be tutors of ESOL. They will work one-on-one with learners from all over the world. The next free tutor-training course starts on February 24. For more information, contact Ginny Steel at 508-358-7517 or at virginia@thesteels.com.

Clean Out Your Stash

Are you tackling holiday craft projects? Cleaning out closets? Save your extra craft supplies for our first ever Craft Supply Swap on January 17th.

Book a Librarian

We love to help patrons, but sometimes we need more time than either you or we have at the moment. With the Book-a-Librarian service, one of our crack reference librarians will meet with you for half an hour to personally assist with research questions, technology, resume/job search questions, and more. Please call 508-358-2311 to make an appointment.

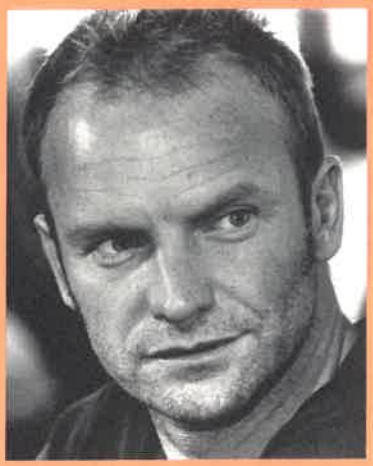
Wanted: Raytheon Room Art for January

The Raytheon Room has ample display space for works large and small. Contact Elizabeth Bradley at the Library for information or an application.

Raytheon Room and Foyer Exhibit

Front Row Center by Allan Dines

Celebrity rock and roll photographs from the front row and backstage.



Books We've Liked Lately

Fiction

Death is Hard Work | Khaled Khalifa
The Friend | Sigrid Nunez
The Girl with Seven Names | Hyeonsee Lee
The Giver of Stars | Jojo Moyes
Good Riddance | Elinor Lipman
The Great Alone | Kristin Hannah
The Great Believers | Rebecca Makkai
Here in Berlin | Christina Garcia
The Huntress | Kate Quinn
Less | Andrew Sean Greer
Little Fires Everywhere | Celeste Ng
Mrs. Fletcher | Tom Perrotta
The Ninth House | Leigh Bardugo
The Paris Architect | Charles Belfoure
The Tattooist of Auschwitz | Heather Morris
The Testament | Margaret Atwood
Twelve Nights at Rotter House | J.W. Ocker
Unsheltered | Barbara Kingsolver
Warlight | Michael Ondaatje
Where the Crawdads Sing | Delia Owens
A Woman is No Man | Etaf Rum

Non-Fiction

Citizens of London | Lynne Olson
Inheritance | Dani Shapiro
The Monk of Mokha | Dave Eggers
Save Me the Plums | Ruth Reichl
So You Want to Talk About Race | Ijeoma Oluo

Thank You from the Friends

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The Friends of the Wayland Library extend a heartfelt thanks to all the patrons and volunteers who made the recent book sale a success. A special note of appreciation to members who donated books and baked goods and especially those who donated their time before and during the sale. Thanks also to everyone who came to shop and support the Library, and to Mastodon Moving for helping us schlep all those books.

Book groups

EVENING

Radio Free Vermont
by Bill McKibben

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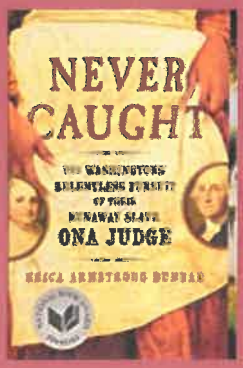
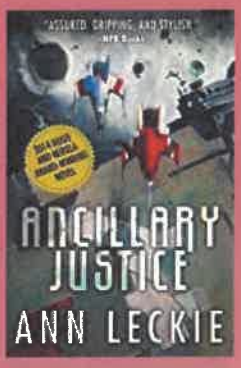


NON-FICTION

Never Caught
by Erica Armstrong Dunbar

Wednesday, December 11 1 p.m.



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Ancillary Justice by Ann Leckie

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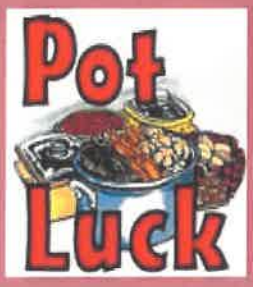
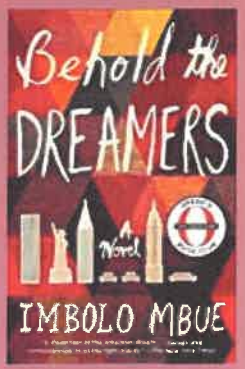


COOKBOOK CLUB

No book this month—just make a favorite recipe!

Thursday, December 12 6 p.m.



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Behold the Dreamers
by Imbolo Mbue

Friday, December 13

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Storytime with Corbyn

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Family Holiday Sing-along with David Polansky

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Thursday, December 12 | 4:00-4:45 p.m.
Kids Chess Club

Children will learn chess and get tips to improve their game. This is a beginner's club for children with little or no chess experience. Wayland High School Junior Miranda Lee will lead the club. We will be meeting once a month. **For children ages 7 and up.**

Wednesday, December 18|3:30-5:00 p.m.
Dog Man Afternoon

Celebrate the release of the latest Dog Man book with an afternoon of fun inspired by everyone's favorite half dog, half police officer! Drop in to create comics, play games, and attempt to foil Petey's latest scheme by following the clues in a scavenger hunt. **For ages 5 and up.**

Tuesday, December 31| 10:30 a.m.– 12:00 p.m.
Noon Year's Eve Party!

Ring in the new year early at the library! There will be crafts, games, a dance party, and more. We will countdown to noon and have a special celebration when the clock strikes 12. Drop in! **For ages 3 and up.**

More Youth Events

Wednesday, December 4|11:30-12:00 p.m.

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Lego Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOs. This month's theme: Magical Kingdoms. **For children ages 5 and up.**

Wednesday, December 4| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

6th Grade Parent/Child Book Group

This book discussion group is for 6th graders with a parent. November's book is *Scar Island* by Dan Gemeinhart. **For 6th graders with a parent.**

Wednesday, December 11| 11:30-12:15 p.m.

Inclusive Playgroup: Stories, Songs, & Sign

This interactive music and literacy group is for young children at all levels of communication and ability. Facilitated by Beverly Mobilia of Community Partnerships for Children and Families. **For newborn to 3 years, with caregiver.**

Wednesday, December 11| 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Drop-in Holiday and Winter Crafts

Join us to make festive holiday and winter crafts. Program led by librarian Elise Katz. **For children ages 4 and up.**

Monday, December 16 |10:30-11:30 a.m.

Pop-Up Playtime

Drop in for a morning of pretend play, early literacy activities, and sensory fun for little ones and their caregivers. **For children ages 0 to 3, with caregiver.**

Tuesday, December 17| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Parent/Child Book Group

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders with a parent. December's book is *The Vanderbeekers of 141st Street* by Karina Yan Glaser. **For 4th and 5th graders with a parent.**

Friday, December 27| 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Family Movie Afternoon

Children are invited to watch the movie *Abominable* at the library! Running time 97 minutes. Rated PG. Popcorn will be served. **For ages 4 and up.**

For Teens *events will take place in the Teen Loft

Friday, December 13| 3:30-4:30 p.m.

TAB Meeting: Cookie Decorating

Come to our Teen Advisory Meeting and Cookie Decorating Party. Snack and let us know what programs YOU would like at the Wayland Public Library. **For grades 6-12.**

Thursday, December 19| 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Holiday Wrapping Workshop

Bring in your holiday gifts and wrap them in time for the holidays. Librarian Laura will lead the gift wrapping workshop and WHS student Jaelin will teach calligraphy for those who want to make the gift tags extra special. Gift wrap and ribbon will be supplied. **For grades 6-12.**